

FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 30, 1907.

THE WEATHER.

BRIEF REPORT.
Forecast—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; possibly showers in the morning; light southwest winds; temperature, 65 to 75; light southwest winds; temperature, 65 to 75; light southwest winds; temperature, 65 to 75.

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SYNOPSIS.

CITY. District Attorney's office today received a letter from the United States Department of Justice, advising that the federal government has decided to prosecute the case of the "straw" company, which has been operating in the city for some time. The letter also advised that the federal government has decided to prosecute the case of the "straw" company, which has been operating in the city for some time.

BRIDGE TUMBLES.

Big Structure Goes Into River.

Eighty-four Workmen Are Buried in the St. Lawrence.

Three-quarters of a Mile Collapses Without Any Warning.

Ten-Million-Dollar Bridge Begun Seven Years Ago Nearly Built.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)
QUEBEC, Aug. 29.—A section of the new bridge across the St. Lawrence River, five miles below this city, collapsed late today, carrying scores of bridge workmen and mechanics into the water. A close estimate places the number of lives lost at eight or four, though this may prove too conservative.

The bridge was about a mile and a half in length, and half of it, from the south shore to middle stream, crumpled up and dropped into the water. Ninety men were at work on this section of the structure.

When the whistle had blown at 5:30 o'clock for the men to quit work for the day, there came a grinding sound from the bridge mid-stream. The men turned to see what had happened, and an instant later the cry went up: "The bridge is falling."

The fallen section of the bridge dragged others after it, the snapping girders and cables booming like a crash of artillery.

Terror-lent footness to the feet of the frightened workmen, as they fled shoreward, but only a few of them reached safety, for the last piece of iron work on the south shore was dragged into the river. Near the shore the wreckage of the bridge did not go below the surface of the water, and eight workmen who remained above the surface were taken to the hospital at Levis.

A steamer had just cleared the bridge when the first section fell. The water thrown up by the debris came clear over the bridge of the steamer.

HELD DOWN IN WATER.
The captain of the steamer, who was on board, was held down in the water by the debris. He was rescued by a small boat which came to his aid.

The small boat piled wreckage and forward over the sunken wreckage for half an hour, but there was no sign of life. The twisted iron and steel had its victims in a terrible grip.

A few floating timbers and the twisted iron and steel were the only signs that anything unusual had happened. There was not a ripple on the smooth surface of the St. Lawrence as it swept along toward the Gulf.

All the men drowned were employed on the Phoenixville Bridge Company and sub-contractors of Quebec and Montreal.

At 10 o'clock tonight sixteen bodies had been recovered, and of the eight men at Levis Hospital, two are not expected to live through the night.

NEARING COMPLETION.
The Quebec bridge was begun about seven years ago, and it was to be finished in 1909. Subsidies had been granted by the Federal provincial governments and the city of Quebec and the estimated cost of the work was \$10,000,000.

The Phoenixville Bridge Company, of Pennsylvania, had the contract for the construction of the bridge, and crews were working from both sides of the river.

Under this agreement construction had been proceeding. When completed, the bridge was to be a cantilever bridge of the province of Quebec, while the National Transcontinental Railway, an approaching span and some two hundred feet of the stone work of the river had been completed as well as the cantilevers.

LONGEST SINGLE SPAN BRIDGE IN THE WORLD.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)
MONTREAL, Aug. 29.—The Quebec bridge was remarkable in that it was to be the longest single-span cantilever in the world, the length of the span in the center being 1800 or 2000 feet longer than that of Fifth bridge, at present the world's longest single-span bridge.

There has been no bridge across the St. Lawrence below Montreal. At Quebec city traffic was ferried across the river. A number of citizens secured a charter from the Dominion government to build a bridge across the river.

A subsidy of \$1,000,000 was secured from the Dominion government and another of \$500,000 from the government of the province of Quebec, while the city of Quebec gave a grant of \$500,000. The people put up \$500,000.

The contract was let for the erection of the bridge to M. P. Davis & Co.; for the iron work to the Phoenix Iron Company of Phoenixville. Work was begun in 1900. The original estimate of the cost was \$10,000,000, but this was found to be too small. The company, finding itself in difficulty and the government needing the bridge for the National Transcontinental Railway, an agreement was reached by which the government agreed to guarantee the bonds of the company up to \$7,000,000.

WEST IS NOT WORRYING

Secretary Wilson Says "People Out There Don't Know Wall Street Exists."

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson returned to Washington today, after an absence of several weeks in the West, bringing glowing accounts from that section of the country.

"The West is not worrying over future panics or hard times," he said. "The people out there do not know Wall Street exists, except as they read about it in the newspapers. The grain crops are generally good this year, and less western money is going into Canada than last year. There is some fear of another coal famine during the coming winter."

Speaking of politics, Secretary Wilson said:

"Everybody I talked to out West was favorable to Roosevelt, and will insist upon the nomination and election next year of a man who will carry out his policies."

SCANDAL DISCLOSED.

ARMY OFFICER ENDS HIS LIFE.

CAPTAIN IN GERMAN REGIMENT DIES ON PARADE GROUND.

Two Lieutenants of Same Military Organization Disappear—All of Them Involved in Affair Which Recalls Scandal of "Knights of Round Table."

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
BERLIN, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Captain Hermann of the Sixth Regiment, stationed at Coblenz, shot himself through the head today on the regimental parade ground, it is reported from Friedrichsbad, and two lieutenants of the same regiment have disappeared.

These officers were involved in a scandal of the same character as that which made the "Knights of the Round Table" notorious—cases which come under noted section 173 of the Criminal Code.

Capt. Hagemann had been indicted, on testimony given by the servant, but he was acquitted, and the servant was sent to trial for blackmailing. Other evidence came out which seemed to leave no doubt that Hagemann was guilty, and he shot himself.

How the two fugitive officers were concerned has not yet come to light, but it is thought that their flight has put the police on a track which will lead to further scandalous revelations.

Wiesler, the prettiest of a teacher in Munich, who is awaiting trial on a charge of blackmailing on similar cases, tried to kill himself yesterday by strangling with a towel and a handkerchief. He is now constantly watched.

MOUNTED INSPECTORS NEEDED.

United States to Patrol Mexican Boundary Line to Keep Out Forbidden Aliens.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Having been informed by the Immigration inspectors on the Mexican boundary that they are unable to prevent aliens of the forbidden classes from crossing the line, Commissioner-General Sargent has decided to recommend to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor that mounted inspectors be employed on that service.

Ten or twelve additional inspectors have been put on during the past month, and not less than a dozen mounted inspectors will be asked for at first.

ACCUSED OF TREASON.

German Army Officer Arrested Following the Discovery of the Sale of Secret Instructions.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
COBLENZ (Germany), Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A sergeant of the Twenty-third Regiment of Artillery has been arrested here on the charge of treason. He was detected through the discovery on the person of a traveler at Herberthal, on the Belgian frontier, of copies of secret instructions regarding artillery firing which are only confined to certain officers under stringent safeguards.

MINERS STILL OUT.

Report That Strikers at Goldfield Were Ordered to Return to Work Promises Untrue.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)
GOLDFIELD (Nev.), Aug. 29.—Neither the officials of the Goldfield Consolidated Mines Company nor the officers of the miners' union know anything about the reports telegraphed from here that the miners who walked out of the Mohawk and Combination mines have been ordered to return to work by Vice-President Mahoney of the Western Federation of Miners.

DENVER DENIES REPORT.

President Mahoney of the Western Federation of Miners said today that he had not issued any order to the miners at Goldfield, and that he knew of no change in the situation here.

MUST ACT AT ONCE.

Events Are Forcing France's Hand.

Must Enforce Her Authority in Morocco Before the Equinox.

Diplomatic Situation Cleared by Meeting of Cambon and Von Buelow.

Reinforcements of Men and Ships Ordered to Go to Casa Blanca.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
PARIS, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Universal approval throughout France greets the government's action yesterday in ordering reinforcements sent to Morocco.

Threatened on one side by the problem of the new Sultan, Mulai Hafid, and on the other by the approach of the equinox, when vessels will be unable to remain in the harbor at Casa Blanca, France realizes that the time has come to act promptly, particularly since the interview at Norderly between Ambassador Cambon and Chancellor Von Buelow seems to have arranged the matter from a diplomatic point of view.

Even before receiving Gen. Drude's reply as to what he would make of fresh reinforcements, the government ordered them sent, so as to give the general a free hand. According to reliable information, this means that it will place Gen. Drude in a position to penetrate farther into the interior.

The fact that a recent reconnoitering expedition from the coast met no obstacle is taken to indicate that the tribes have retired to join and consult with Mulai Hafid, whose personality dominates the situation.

ANOTHER CRUISER TO GO.

Carrying out its policy of taking active measures in Morocco, the French government today ordered the armored cruiser Dalmat to proceed to Tangier from Toulon, with instructions to protect the European population of the port. A torpedo-boat destroyer has been ordered to sail for Morocco.

CAN'T DEAL WITH MULAI.

"Never was the expression 'Moroccan imbroglio' more justified than at present," remarked a competent critic of foreign affairs to your correspondent this morning. "For, if Mulai Hafid offers peace, we cannot accept it, since the Algeiras treaty was signed by his brother."

"To be consistent, France ought to demolish the new Sultan, and then our way out would be easier. A definite wind-up must come within six weeks or we shall be ridiculous before the world."

GERMANY UNEASY OVER MOROCCO CRISIS.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
BERLIN, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Notwithstanding reassuring utterances from official sources, a recent German criticism of the French operations in Morocco indicate a growing uneasiness in Germany. The situation in a mid-week review, declared by the German press, is that it is difficult to escape the fear that France will finally be forced into more extended operations than was foreseen, as even the commander of the French forces cannot know how far the operations may lead.

A similar note of uneasiness is sounded by various independent organs and insinuations that France is seeking extended influence in Morocco are not wanting.

These manifestations of uneasiness are met by further reassuring statements today including the announcement that the recent meeting of Chancellor von Bismarck and Ambassador Cambon at Norderly resulted in an eminently satisfactory understanding regarding Morocco.

References to the friendly conference between King Edward and Premier Clemenceau lend color to the idea that the full strength of European diplomacy is now being exerted to prevent the Moroccan issue from again assuming a critical character.

MULAI HAFID MAKES CHANGES IN CABINET.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
PARIS, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A dispatch from Morocco City dated August 25 says Mulai Hafid made several changes in his Cabinet before departing for the coast, and also liberated all the prisoners incarcerated at Morocco City during the reign of Abdul Aziz.

A dispatch received here from Vice-Admiral Philibert during the afternoon announced that the Moors assailed the Spanish camp at Oued Blanca yesterday, but were vigorously repulsed. No other details were furnished.

The other Moroccan ports were reported to be peaceful.

CHILDREN GET CASH.

Contest Over Estate of Late Ah Fong in Honolulu Is Settled by Compromise.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—P.M.)
HONOLULU, Aug. 29.—The controversy over the estate of the late Ah Fong has been settled by compromise. It has been agreed that each of the children shall receive \$25,000.

DIPLOMATS WHO MET TO DISCUSS MOROCCO CRISIS.



Prince Von Buelow, The German Chancellor. M. Jules Cambon, French Ambassador to Germany.

GLASS CASE WILL GO TO JURY THIS EVENING.

State Announces "We Close" and the Defense Replies "So Do We," Again Declining to Introduce Witnesses—Arguments Have Begun.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "So do we." Before Hayne's words had ceased to resound through the great auditorium of Temple street tonight, they were answered by Delmas, all of his stock holdings, charged with bribery, came to an end, so far as the taking of testimony was concerned.

Asst. Dist. Atty. O'Garra immediately began the opening address to the jury for the prosecution. He talked for an hour and a half, and at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, will continue for another half hour. He will be followed by Attorney T. C. Coogan for the defense, who will talk until 12 o'clock.

SUDDEN END UNEXPECTED.

In the afternoon Delmas will address the jury for two hours, and will be followed in closing by Heney. The case will rest in the hands of the jury by 12 o'clock.

It was not expected that the people would rest its case until tomorrow morning, and when Heney spoke the words, "Prosecution closes," after a brief examination of a few witnesses at tonight's session, the announcement came as a surprise to the many hundred auditors who thronged the sanctuary, among whom were scores of richly-gowned women.

Asst. Dist. Atty. O'Garra went over every phase of the case. He proceeded to review the charge, various phases of the case, and the penalty.

DAY'S TESTIMONY.

J. J. Kendrick, a printer, was examined by the telephone company, by the Home Telephone Company in this city.

John Flynn, clerk of the local Board of Supervisors, was recalled to corroborate the filing of an application for a telephone franchise, by the Home Telephone Company in this city.

John Flynn, assistant auditor of the Pacific States, testified that he had seen a number of vouchers and checks pass through his office, but failed to see the amounts or signatures on them.

In the evening session, prior to the submitting of the case, Peter J. Lynch and George Beanson were put upon the stand by Heney and briefly examined in regard to methods of procedure in the disposition of vouchers and checks in the telephone company's office.

"STRAW" HOME COMPANY SECURED A FRANCHISE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.)
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The task of showing that the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company, in 1906, sought to prevent the entrance into Oakland of the Home Telephone Company by organizing a "straw" Home Telephone Company and obtaining to it a franchise, was assumed at the conclusion of the Glass case by Attorney William A. Beasley of San Jose, who testified yesterday to having allowed Agent Halsey, of the Pacific States corporation, to use his name as a bidder for the franchise was recalled. He testified that he had bid in the franchise, and furnished a surety bond of \$2500 to the Oakland Council, and then had signed and delivered, through Halsey, all of his stock holdings in the "straw" company to E. J. Zimmer, who at that time was auditor of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company. Subsequently, the scheme was abandoned, and Zimmer went to the clerk of the Oakland Council and caused the franchise to be forfeited and the bond released.

Mr. Beasley said the Pacific States company paid him \$100 a month for the part he played in the "straw" deal. He was supplied by Halsey with the money for the expenses he incurred, amounting to a trifling more than \$11,000. His salary was never paid by check, but always in coin or currency.

PILLBURY'S PART.

In overcoming a spirited fight put up by the prosecution, Delmas adduced testimony from Mr. Beasley which placed E. A. Pillsbury, general counsel of the Pacific States Telephone Company, in a bad light before the jury. Mr. Pillsbury had testified that the matter of dealing with telephone "opposition" had not come within his duties at all, but had been solely under the authority and direction of General Manager Glass.

In direct proof to the contrary, Mr. Beasley testified that the articles of incorporation and other documents vital to the "straw" company's applications in Oakland were prepared by the law department of the Pacific States company, over which Mr. Pillsbury presided, and his impression was that Halsey told him they had been prepared by Pillsbury himself.

GRAND JURY EVIDENCE.

President Henry T. Scott was called for further cross-examination. Delmas desired to show by him—and he succeeded after vigorous objection by Heney—that the fact that Scott approved monthly vouchers for Al Rues's "salary" had been testified to by Scott as long ago as last March, when he was a witness before the grand jury.

It was then bringing out by Delmas the fact that Scott had approved some of these vouchers that featured yesterday's proceedings and gave cause to an ugly row between counsel Heney and the jury. Delmas was winning the grand jury admission from Scott today, on the ground that Delmas's purpose was to lay the foundation for a false premise which would enable him to argue to the jury that the prosecution had deliberately sought to suppress evidence.

Thomas E. Shermin, auditor of the Pacific States company, was recalled by Delmas for a similar purpose; and, after the same sort of a fight, he was

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SPAIN TO SEND ARMY TO GET REAL DON Q.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
MADRID, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five hundred Spanish regulars, commanded by Col. Arrales, one of the bravest officers in King Alfonso's army, have started to the mountains near Seville and Malaga to capture Don P. Perlales, the king of modern bandits.

For ten years Perlales has held Southern Spain in terror. He and his followers have become rich by raiding the towns and villages and preying upon rich travelers.

After many attempts to capture him, the Spanish Cortes has taken action, and the Ministry of War has loaned the helpless police a half-regiment of men.

Perlales, safe in his mountain stronghold, has sent word to the soldiers to abandon the chase which can only end in their deaths.

Perlales is by many believed to be the original of "Don Q." the well-known character in recent fiction. Perlales, like "Don Q." is attributed with many deeds of singular bravery and bravado, as well as with a noble lineage and many characteristics of the Spanish gentleman.

AMERICAN PEONAGE.

Startling Disclosures by Government.

Immigrants Preyed Upon by Lawless Agents of Big Employers.

Conspiracy Indictments May Be Issued Against Guilty Men.

Federal Investigators Find Contract Labor Law Openly Violated.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Railroad officials, labor contractors and employment agencies were drawn into the government immigration investigation today and conspiracy indictments against prominent men involved in the sensational disclosures may result.

Evidence is being unearthed by government agents showing the importation of thousands of foreigners for contract labor on railroads and for big corporations, in open violation of the immigration laws.

Agents, who engineer the labor contracts, hiring the foreigners in droves in Europe, and bringing them to Chicago, where they are turned over to the railroads, are under the surveillance of the government inspectors. Arrests will be made whenever sufficient evidence is found to convict them of violating the law, and the government will break up the ring in control of the immigration traffic.

VICTIMS OF AGENTS.

Instances have been reported to Asst. Dist. Atty. E. S. Smith, who has charge of the investigation, where these agents thrive upon the earnings of the ignorant foreigners in their power. The laborers are compelled to pay them a monthly tribute out of their small earnings, and, in addition to this, the railroads pay the agents a commission for their work.

Some of the labor importers make from \$500 to \$1000 a month upon the toil of the men in their charge.

Several "women" are declared to be among the agents who are making a fortune in the foreign labor traffic. They have agents in Greece, Italy and other foreign countries, where the laborers are recruited, and by glowing promises the foreigners are induced to come to America.

HELPLESS IMMIGRANTS.

The foreigners arrive in Chicago in gangs of fifty to three, in charge of an employe of the immigration agent. They know nothing of the country, can speak only their own language and many of them cannot write in their own tongue. They become practically slaves at the mercy of the prosperous agents.

The startling developments in the government crusade, which are only hinted at today, resulted from the investigation of the Greek peonage system.

Immigration Inspector Doraphic is collecting the evidence against the labor contractors, and it probably will be presented to the next Federal grand jury.

MONSTER OF PAST AGES.

Bones Found of Quadruped Thought to Have Been 300 Feet Long.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
PORTLAND (Or.), Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Remains of a quadruped of such heroic proportions that if it sat on its haunches it would cover 1375 square feet of ground and its head would tower 300 feet in the air, are reported to have been found on Queen Charlotte Islands, near Skidegate.

It is said the animal could, in its prime, sit down and nibble the tops from the gigantic fir trees of the coast for the space of an acre without changing its position. That such a terrible creature once roamed British Columbia, two Vancouver men are now in the North attempting to prove. Several pieces of the remains have been shipped to Vancouver. B. C. Scientists have been dumbfounded by the bones so far found.

Seven feet, six inches across the forehead from eye to eye is the measurement of a skull which could not be placed in the biggest retail store window in Vancouver.

The sockets apparently held eyeballs eighteen inches to two feet in diameter, with pupils the size of lenses used in large automobile lights. One of the ribs of this weird creature is over sixteen feet in length.

HALT CALLED ON UNIONITES.

United States Steel Corporation Issues Edict.

Efforts to Unionize Plants Ordered Stopped.

Warning Is Heeded by Head of Amalgamated.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The United States Steel Corporation has issued a warning to the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers to cease all efforts to unionize the sheet and tin plate mills of the company, located at Vandergrift and Scottdale.

These mills, as well as all other mills which were formerly part of the Carnegie Steel Company, have been conducted as non-union shops since the famous Homestead strike, and the Carnegie Steel Company will not permit the men to be organized, although the same scale is paid as in the union plants.

For some time past the Amalgamated has slowly and secretly been making gains in the Vandergrift and Scottdale plants. Recently officials of the steel corporation discovered the movement and demanded that a stop be put to it. No attention was paid to the warning. Within the past week the steel corporation has notified President Joseph McCardle of the Amalgamated that unless the efforts to unionize the mills are abandoned, the company will refuse to sign the union scale for the mills at Newcast, Nela, Sharon and Struthers, where the corporation has given the union recognition.

The announcement comes as a bitter blow to the Amalgamated. It is said here tonight that the request of the steel corporation will be complied with and all attempts to unionize the Vandergrift and Scottdale mills will be abandoned.

CONSERVATIVE MEN WIN.

Unionites at Angels Camp Elect New Officers and Trouble May Be Adjusted.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) STOCKTON, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] To the great surprise of the local stockholders in the vicinity of Angels Camp, where a lock-out has been in force for months, the union was received late tonight that the union miners remaining in the district, at an election held yesterday, defeated all the leaders for reelection and put in an entire new set of officers to conduct their business the coming term.

The element that has been in control of the union has stubbornly refused to concede a point, and declared they would force the union to remain out until they received their demands. The new officers are more conservative, and it is believed they will at once bring up a proposition and meet the mine owners half way in an effort to effect a settlement. It is hinted that the mines will soon be opened again and the town put on a live basis once more.

STRIKERS BEGIN TO MAKE ADVANCES.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.) NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—In a clear sent out today by the officers of the Telegraphers' Union it was declared that the strikers would ignore any suggestion of the company to compromise, and stand immovable on all demands. It was also asserted that many strikers have left the company, and wholesale desertions are alleged to have taken place from the working forces in the offices yesterday. The public was asked to use the mails, instead of the wires.

SALT LAKE COMMERCIAL CLUB TIRE DOF STRIKE.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) SALT LAKE, Aug. 29.—The Commercial Club of Salt Lake City today passed and, through its Committee on Arbitration, telegraphed to President Roosevelt, the presidents of both the big telegraph companies, the president of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, and about fifty commercial clubs in various parts of the country, a resolution urging that the differences between the companies and their striking operators be referred to arbitration. The good offices of the local commercial club to this end were tendered.

STRIKERS CLAIM LAW IS BEING VIOLATED.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) DALLAS (Tex.) Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Atty.-Gen. Davidson reached Austin today, coming direct from the City of Mexico. He said he had read the telegraphers' communication in the papers, but it will be a day or two yet before he can consider the matter. Striking telegraphers in Dallas and other Texas cities are consulting with attorneys, looking to the prosecution of the telegraph companies for violating the eight-hour law recently enacted by the Texas Legislature. It is not certain that the law applies to the telegraph companies, although it does to railroad telegraphers. Railroad telegraphers of Dallas today received notice that the assessment for the benefit of the striking telegraphers of Texas amounted to \$47,000.

TO COMBAT LOCAL OPTION.

Representatives of Big Brewing Interests Meet in Cincinnati and Appoint Committee.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) CINCINNATI (O.) Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] United action by leading brewers of the United States against the spread of the local option idea was begun in a secret meeting in this city yesterday, news of which developed today. It is proposed to adopt a definite plan to stop the spread of local option, especially in the South. Representatives of the big brewing interests of the country were present, including the breweries of Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Louis and Cincinnati. A committee was appointed to devise ways and means for accomplishing the purposes of the meeting.

GLASS CASE.

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permitted to testify that he had produced the Ruff salary vouchers before the grand jury. Henny expedited this testimony finally by withdrawing his objection to it.

CALLS HENRY A BLACKGUARD.

The bad blood between Henny and Delmas showed itself again at the afternoon session. John H. Ryan, secretary of the San Francisco Board of Supervisors, was called to the stand to identify the franchise granted by that body to the Home Telephone Company. Henny and Delmas got into a wrangle over the character, physically, of the evidence. Henny exclaimed impatiently to Delmas: "Oh, well, I am not as particular about my dress and speech as you are, anyhow."

"I have always understood," said Delmas, "that there was nothing more ill-bred than to refer to a gentleman's dress."

"That is true," said Henny, "and there is no man who is more punctilious in his dress and less careful in his conduct than yourself."

Delmas desired this evidence to be read without any further exchange of this sort, interposed Judge Lawlor. John J. Flynn, assistant auditor of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company, was the last witness of the afternoon. The testimony he gave in direct examination strengthened the case against Henny. A long and at times technical cross-examination by Delmas blunted the impression it made.

ABE RUEF'S CASE AGAIN CONTINUED.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—In accordance with his announced intention to postpone action on motions to set aside the indictments against the alleged grafters until the Supreme Court has decided on the validity of the grand jury, Judge Dunne today continued the trial of A. Ruef and his associates in the Parkside realty people until September 4.

COMMITTEE FAVORS BIG WATER SCHEME.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The Federated Water Committee of this city has adopted a report on the proposed purchase of the Spring Valley distributing plant by the municipality. While favoring the proposition, the committee declined to place any value on the report of the subcommittee which recommended that the city should secure a five years' option on the property of the corporation, and that negotiations should be entered into between the city and the corporation to agree upon a price for the purchase of the plant.

VOTING MACHINES ARE LAID ON SHELF.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.) SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—By a vote of 4 to 1 the election commission, acting on the recommendation of the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors, decided to shelve the voting machines at the coming election, and to revert to the Australian ballot.

WAR TALK.

EUROPE WILLING FOR US TO FIGHT.

AMERICAN-JAPANESE WAR TALK IS VERY POPULAR.

"Over There They Want Some One to Pull Their Chestnuts Out of the Fire," Says Congressman Bartholdi. Talks of Team Work of United States and Germany.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) WASHINGTON, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The United States and Germany are working hand in hand at the Hague conference, according to Representative Richard Bartholdi, president of the American group of the Inter-Parliamentary Union, who arrived in Washington today fresh from the session. Bartholdi declared that a disagreement between the representatives of the two countries on the question of disarmament, but with this subject out of the way, the delegates became in thorough accord on international arbitration.

The team work of the United States and Germany at the conference is causing much comment throughout Europe, says Mr. Bartholdi. He said that the foundation for the permanent peace of the world, "The world generally is laboring under the wrong impression as to the probable result of the conference. It is now moving along right lines and will be prolific of results that the practical friends of peace have advocated."

He was asked how Europe viewed the talk of war between the United States and Japan.

"Nothing is more popular in Europe than the possibility of trouble between these two countries," he replied. "Over there they want somebody to pull their chestnuts out of the fire. They want a war between the United States and Japan."

"I told them their wishes would not be gratified, that Japan is not ready to fight and we do not know what there is to fight over."

TAKES CROWD WITH HIM.

LaFollette, Prevented from Talking Politics to Teachers, Continues Speech Outside Hall.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] United States Senator R. A. LaFollette of Wisconsin had a disagreement with the officials of the Allegheny County Teachers' Institute here this afternoon. Senator LaFollette was engaged to address to the teachers on "Representative Government."

Before the speech County Superintendent Hamilton told the senator he could not discuss partisan politics. For about an hour the senator talked, and then he began to tell the teachers about how the Pennsylvania Senators had voted on his amendments to the railroad rate bill.

The Superintendent was on his feet in an instant, and declared the senator must cease.

"Go ahead!" came cries from all over the house. After order had been restored, Senator LaFollette informed the audience that he would have to comply with the wishes of the superintendent, but if any one present wished to hear what he had to say he was willing to talk.

MATCH-MAKING WILHELM.

NOTHER ROYAL AWEDDING LIKELY.

KAISER PLANS MARRIAGE OF HIS ONLY DAUGHTER.

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UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Clouds and rain monopolized the weather bill today and Forecaster Cox can see nothing but puddles until after tomorrow. In the meantime the temperature remains nearly stationary and there is no wind to speak of. Maximum temperatures today was 69 deg., minimum 65 deg. Middle West temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Albany	72	54
Bismarck	80	54
Calcutta	94	72
Cheyanne	72	48
Cincinnati	82	45
Cleveland	70	52
Concordia	88	72
Des Moines	88	64
Denver	78	54
Detroit	78	54
Devil's Lake	74	54
Dodge City	84	54
Duluth	74	54
Escanaba	88	54
Grand Rapids	76	56
Green Bay	78	56
Huron	88	56
Indianapolis	82	56
Kansas City	74	56
Marquette	88	56
Memphis	84	56
Milwaukee	86	56
Omaha	84	56
St. Louis	84	56
Springfield	82	56
Wichita	82	56
Sault Ste. Marie	72	44

DEFENDS DIVORCE LAWS.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Before the Rockford Chautauque today Judge William M. McEwen delivered an address in which the jurist defended the divorce laws of the country and declared that divorce was an evil only partly true. Judge McEwen said that in some instances divorce was an absolute necessity. He pointed out the absolute necessity of the husband being the provider for the family and said that when he ceased doing so he loses his standing in the community and with his wife, who becomes dissatisfied, and a way is then opened up for separation. He also dealt at length on the industrial condition of today, which, he said, were conducive to divorce.

FIND BROKERS SATISFIED.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] General Superintendent T. P. Cook of the Western Union and General Superintendent W. I. Capen of the Postal company, visited the Board of Trade today on a tour of persons in charge of the service being rendered by their respective companies.

ALEXANDER G. HACKETT, SECRETARY OF THE MEETING, HAS THE COPY WHICH MR. HARAHAN WAS READING WHEN MR. HARAHAN ORDERED HIM TO GET OUT.

"There is no other copy of the resolutions, or the paper from which Mr. Harahan was reading when Mr. Harahan ordered him to get out," said Mr. Hackett. "I shall positively not give it out for publication or discuss it. If the officers of the company see fit to make it public, that is their business."

MR. FISH WAS IN THE BEST OF HUMOR.

His telephone was busy all day with him being congratulated by his friends. Mr. Harahan wanted him to let them know, it was said, when he intended to "give Harahan a whirl. Notes of congratulation were delivered by messengers, by mail and by telegram."

MR. FISH WAS ASKED, AFTER HE HAD REFUSED TO MAKE PUBLIC HIS RESOLUTIONS, IF HE INTENDED TO MAKE USE OF THEM IN THE FUTURE.

"There is more than one way of skinning a skunk," he answered, with a smile. "It was as quiet as a monastery to find in the offices of the Illinois Central, on the sixteenth floor of the Bowling Green building."

YELLOW FEVER IMPORTED.

Suspensions Concerning Cases on Board Steamer from Vera Cruz Are Confirmed. (BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) DALLAS (Tex.) Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It was officially announced today by State Health Officer Brumby that the three suspicious cases found on board the steamer from Vera Cruz, now detained in quarantine at Sabine Pass, are yellow fever.

ASSISTANT STATE HEALTH OFFICER SHAWER, WHO MADE THE INVESTIGATION, CONFIRMED THE REPORT. AS A RESULT, DR. SHAWER LEFT THE AFTERNOON FOR VERA CRUZ, MEX., TO MAKE AN INVESTIGATION THERE AS TO THE EXISTENCE OF YELLOW FEVER.

Dr. Brumby deemed it advisable that an immediate investigation should be made and if yellow fever is found to exist at Vera Cruz a rigid quarantine city at once be declared against that city.

OPENING OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF CORCORAN, SEPTEMBER 9TH, 1907.

One of the finest sugar factories in the State now being built there by the Pacific Sugar Corporation. The new factory will be a model of modern sugar-making. It will produce 100,000 tons of sugar annually. The factory will be a model of modern sugar-making. It will produce 100,000 tons of sugar annually. The factory will be a model of modern sugar-making. It will produce 100,000 tons of sugar annually.

FRONTIER LIFE.

Outdoor performance of the military drama "The Frontier Life" at the Redondo Beach, Saturday evening, August 31.

SUPERB ROUTES OF TRAVEL.

1-2 HOURS FROM LOS ANGELES TO—
Santa Catalina Island
Steamers: CABRILLO, Capacity 900
HERMOSA, Capacity 475

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Persons not holding our special permit and arriving at Santa Catalina Island on boats other than those controlled by the WILLINGTON TRANSPORTATION COMPANY will be required to pay the full fare for the island according to their patrons. HANNOCK CO. TICKET OFFICE, 101 PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG. Phone Main 34-7208

CEANIC STEAMSHIP CO.—

TAHITI, S. MARIPASA, SEPT. 11, S. SIERRA, SEPT. 14. HONOLULU, TICKETS AND INFORMATION AT 234 SOUTH SPRING STREET, PHONES HOME 630, MAIN 37, P. M. JENIFER, AGENT.

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Second Week Starts Sunday

Souvenir Matinee Monday

Monday Day

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Next Week Third Anniversary

The Belasco Company will celebrate the third anniversary of the Belasco Theatre this evening with a special performance of "The Taming of the Shrew."

MONDAY NIGHT WILL BE SOUVENIR NIGHT. WHEN EVERY LAST WILL BE PRESENTED WITH A HANDSOME SOUVENIR.

SPECIAL LABOR DAY MATINEE PERFORMANCE OF "THE TAMING OF THE SHREW." MONDAY AT 2:15 O'CLOCK.

OPHEUM THEATRE—SPRING ST. between Second and Third. Both PHONES 147.

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WILLIAM COURTLEIGH & CO.—RENAUD & KELLY & VIOLETTE—THE PHONE—BARROWS—LANCASTER—CO.—BESSIE VALDARE—BICYCLES—TONE—ORPHEUM MOTION PICTURES—GRACE VAN STUDDFORD—MATINEE DAILY EXCEPT MONDAY—AND SPECIAL MATINEE LABOR DAY

GRAND OPERAHOUSE—MAIN STREET between Second and Third

The Family Theatre, "CONVICT 999"

A series of beautiful, spectacular and thrilling scenes bound together by a surprising interest.

NEXT WEEK "DOWN MOBILE"

Special Matinee Labor Day

LOS ANGELES THEATRE—36 S. SPRING ST.

NORTHWESTERN THEATRICAL ASSOCIATION. LUGANES AND COMPANY. Will Open Next Monday Eve. Sept. 2, with "THE SAN FRANCISCO COMPANY." In a Sensuous Production of the Dainty Comedy

"DOLLY VARDEN"

SALE OF SEATS OPEN AT 9 O'CLOCK TODAY.

Evening prices 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00. Matinee Wednesday and Saturday, 25c and 50c.

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FIESTA PARK—Six Nights—Sept. 2 to 7

WINING DEAL IS COMPLETED.

Los Angeles Men Secure Valuable Property.

Spar Group in Arizona for Hundred Thousand.

Operations on Large Scale to Be Started.

DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SCOTT (Ariz.) Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Tryon and Brain, Los Angeles contractors, completed with A. Popkes, of this county, the details of one of the most important mining deals completed here in months, when they arranged for the first cash payment of \$100,000 for the purchase price of \$100,000 for a group of mines in the Spar group.

On one year ago Popkes and the group of ten claims for \$100,000 and paid the entire amount from the sale of the property to the Los Angeles contractors, Popkes obtained the price he paid for the Spar group.

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wine trade this year is explained by the fact that the stringent laws against adulteration in France have just gone into effect, and the French growers have taken advantage of this to raise their prices.

In retaliation, the wine-makers are using American-grown grapes.

NO WAR, SAYS WRIGHT.

Former Ambassador to Tokio Says Japan is Neither Able Nor Inclined to Fight America.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.] SEATTLE (Wash.) Aug. 29.—Luke E. Wright, former Ambassador to Japan, arrived here on the steamer Minnesota. He has declared that there will be no war of this country with Japan.

"In the first place," he said, "I do not believe Japan is able financially to wage such a war. Besides, it is a fact that the Japanese government sincerely favors peace and will bend every effort to keep the relations of the two governments amicable.

He said that nothing will happen to induce this government to consider giving up the Philippines. We must retain those islands and develop them as we are capable of being developed. Furthermore, we need them to strengthen our trade relations with the Orient."

FIRE ON BIG STEAMER.

Bleaze Rages in Coal Bunkers of Minnesota Without Passengers' Knowledge.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.] SEATTLE (Wash.) Aug. 29.—The crew of the Hill liner Minnesota, which arrived here today, fought a fire in one of the coal bunkers nine days during the run to Seattle.

The fire was not completely under control until the boat reached port. The entire light was made without any of the 300 passengers aboard the steamship learning of the fire.

As the fire was confined to the bunkers, no serious damage is believed to have been done to the ship, although a survey will have to be made to determine the exact cost of repairs.

TRUSTED EMPLOYEE ARRESTED.

Seattle Manager of California Sand Works is Suspected of Embezzlement.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.] SEATTLE (Wash.) Aug. 29.—W. H. Wyman, local manager of the California Sand Works, is under arrest, charged with embezzlement that may reach a total, it is alleged, of \$20,000.

He has been in charge of the Seattle plant for two years, having been sent here after seven years' service as manager of the Portland branch.

The alleged shortage was discovered by President Fisher and Vice-President Bird, who have been here several days auditing the accounts of the company. Wyman does not admit the shortage to the police.

POSTOFFICE FIGHT IS WARM.

Contest Between Charles Thomas and Clarence Merrill at Berkeley Becomes Bitter.

BERKELEY, Aug. 29.—Capt. E. J. Martin, chairman of the Citizens' Committee, who, with President Wheeler of the State University, are fighting Charles Thomas, an applicant for the appointment of Clarence Merrill as postmaster, said today:

"President Roosevelt has said that Merrill is his choice for postmaster, and we do not fear the outcome. We have secured the endorsement of the Congress and the support of the Attorney General, J. D. Clegg, and the support of the State University here and know him personally.

Thomas is equally busy getting the endorsement of State officers and other political or clerical men, who are getting Roosevelt to reconsider his announcement preference for Merrill.

PROSPECTORS NEARLY PERISH.

Two Miners Rescued Just in Time to Prevent Them from Starving to Death.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.] SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—Andrew Laybeck of San Francisco and J. H. Wilson of Seattle, miners, who left here early in April to prospect for gold on the island of Unimak, in the Behring Sea, were brought back to this port today by the fishing schooner John F. Reed, which rescued them from starvation.

Their trip was a series of misfortunes. Severe storms prevailed, their camp was blown away and left without food or clothing. They were forced to seek refuge in a dugout which belonged to a trapper named Rosenberg, who with a native wife, were the only other inhabitants of the island.

They shot a few caribou on which they lived until their signals of distress were seen by the men on the Miller.

BIG COPPER STRIKE MADE.

Ten-foot Ledge Assaying 71 Per Cent. Is Found in Sweepstakes Mine.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.] ELKO (Nev.) Aug. 29.—What experts pronounce to be the richest copper discovery in Nevada has been found in the Sweepstakes mine at Bullion, twenty-eight miles southwest of this city, and in Elko county.

A ten-foot ledge assaying 71 per cent. copper and from 25 to 30 per cent. silver has been uncovered at a depth of fifty feet.

The Sweepstakes was worked thirty years ago for lead and silver. Recently local capitalists secured the property and did considerable work in developing it. It was copper property a short time ago. They turned it over to eastern parties under lease and bond.

RAIN FALLS IN YOSEMITE.

First Precipitation Since the First of Last May Occurs in Park.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] YOSEMITE, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A heavy rain fell here today, the first since May, laying the dust and increasing the volume of water in the falls.

The rain was quite general throughout the mountains in and about Yosemite Park.

BANKER RENTS HIS AUTO.

President of Wrecked Portland Concern Now Forced to Make Living Expenses.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] PORTLAND, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Walter H. Moore of the defunct Oregon Trust and Savings Bank, after giving trust deeds for the property to the receiver of the bank to be used for the benefit of depositors, has placed a "for hire" sign on his big White steam automobile and his son acts as chauffeur. It may

be seen any day on the bank corner at Sixth and Washington streets with the boy in attendance, waiting for patrons.

Only a few days ago the machine was spinning around the city with President Moore and his family inside.

"All I had was in the bank except certain property," said Mr. Moore. "The bank has gone under and my other property pledged to pay the liabilities against it. My family must live, so I told my boy to take the machine and make what he can out of it and give the motor to his mother. He is doing his best and he is the proudest chap you ever saw when he can take home his earnings and place it in his mother's hands. He realizes that he is now the support of the family."

PREACHER RIDES IN PATROL.

Methodist Minister and Members of Congregation Protest Against Reno Ordinance.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] RENO (Nev.) Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Before three thousand curious onlookers, Rev. M. B. Burwell, pastor of the Methodist church of Reno, and many of his congregation appeared upon the streets last night and held a religious meeting in violation of the Reno city ordinance, which, in prohibiting street meetings, has barred the Salvation Army and the Volunteers of America from carrying on their work. This action was taken to show their disapproval of the religious ordinance to the ordinance.

Rev. Mr. Burwell, D. R. Williams, manager of the Western Marble and Granite Company; W. S. Hall, a prominent mercantile man, and three women were placed in the patrol wagon and taken to jail, where they refused to put up \$50 bail and were locked up with the common vagrants for the night. The women were released later.

On the way to prison the crowds booed their disapproval and all but the officers. The case will be made a test case in court to ascertain its constitutionality.

TO MINE COLUMBIA'S MOUTH.

Artillery Forces at Fort Stevens to Have Practice With the Real Thing in the River.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] PORTLAND, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Submarine mines will be laid very soon off the mouth of the Columbia River. Sites for their location were chosen yesterday by a commission on the lighthouse tender America.

Those who mapped out the areas for placing the mines were Gen. M. R. Ray, Chief of Artillery; Commander Spencer S. Wood of the navy and Capt. Werlich, Inspector of the lighthouse district.

At the first drill mines will be planted on which the artillery forces at Fort Stevens will have an opportunity to practice. They will be exactly the same as the real article, exclusive of the explosives. These will also be used occasionally to afford the drillers better insight into their manipulation.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Horses Killed in Wreck.

REDDING, Aug. 29.—Seven cars of south-bound freight train No. 221, which derailed today between Shasta Springs and Cantara, two cars loaded with horses were wrecked. Two horses were killed and many hurt. South-bound passenger trains Nos. 11 and 25 are five hours late, as the track was torn up for half a mile. No one was killed. The horses belonged to Joe Hazlett of San Francisco.

Better Service Is Wanted.

HONOLULU, Aug. 29.—The Chamber of Commerce of this city has addressed a letter to various American steamship lines, asking them to provide better service between Hawaii and the mainland of the United States. If this is not done the chamber will petition to the government for a suspension of the coastwise laws.

Chinese Come to Learn.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Aug. 29.—A Chinese mandarin of the second degree, who has arrived here on the steamer Minnesota, in charge of a party of ten young men, is here to be educated in this country. The girls will be taken to Wellesley and the young men to Yale and Columbia. The students are from 18 to 22 years old.

Lineman Meets Death.

DAKOTA, Aug. 29.—While fixing some wires at Redford, C. G. Vall, a lineman, stepped on a live wire and was hurled from the top of a pole and, the ground, where he lay for two feet, and received injuries from which he died while being taken to a hospital.

Dependency Ends in Death.

ALAMEDA, Aug. 29.—Fred Ogden, who was connected with the Bove & Toy Real Estate company, committed suicide this morning while dependent by shooting himself in the head. He was 38 years old.

Arizona River on Rampage.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Aug. 29.—As a result of the recent rains in the mountains, Salt River is now at the highest flood stage of the year. No damage has been reported, though the river is now out of commission for a day or two.

Cuban Found Murdered.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—Francisco Rubio, a Cuban, living at No. 914 Pacific street, was found lying in a vacant lot, between Powell and Stockton streets, this morning, with his throat cut from ear to ear. Alfred Fous, a friend of the murdered man, who is a barber, was seen with the dead man last night, and has been placed under arrest on suspicion. When Fous was arrested, a bloody razor was found in his pocket.

Mint Hoard Is Being Counted.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—The \$200,000,000 in gold and silver coin in the United States mint is now being counted by a large force, preparatory to turning the mint over to the recently-appointed superintendent, Judge Edward Sweeney, who succeeds Frank Leach, who is to become director of the mint at Washington. Dr. H. H. Gan, a Treasury Department expert, has charge of the count, and he is assisted by a force of 100 men. It will take thirty days to finish the weighing and checking of all the money. Sixty millions in silver coin that has been melted for over ten years will be opened and recounted, and \$100,000,000 in gold coin not counted for four years will also be broken open and weighed.

Opening of the Townsite of Cocoran, September 9th, 1907.

One of the finest best sugar factories in the state, now being built there by the Pacific Fruit Canning Co., is now under way. Its profits made in other best-sugar towns.

Special excursion train leaves Los Angeles September 8, about 7 a. m. Reduced fare. Security Land and Loan Co. owners of townsite and lands adjoining, 331 S. Spring.

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Home Is Provided by Two Kind-hearted Sisters for Any Cur That Needs Bone or Place to Sleep.

Section of Building Is Set Aside for Prize-winners.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Misses Stella and Madeline Mills, wealthy women of the Bronx, whose home is of Kingsbridge Terrace, have just completed, at a cost of about \$10,000, a kennel, which will be used almost exclusively for stray dogs.

The young women are among the most active workers in the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and for several years have been dog or cat that reached their dog-kennel was overworked with homeless creatures, and they then determined to fit out a new kennel. One section of the kennel will be devoted to prize-winning dogs, while the other twenty, the rest of the kennel is so arranged that it will accommodate 200 or more dogs, and any cur that wants a good home, with plenty of good food, can have it for the asking.

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Weird Underground Colony Unearthed.

An underground colony has been unearthed beneath London, where in caves a most astounding and weird colony of the nation of great danger.

The introduction of general suffrage in Hungary, despite the opposition of the governing Magyar race, cannot be much longer delayed. It is believed that with it Hungary will enter upon an eminently new national policy.

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GOT RICH QUICK.

MADE MILLION AND LOST IT.

Bankruptcy Ends Chicago Speculator's Career.

Put Up Houses by Mortgageing Each Story.

Got in Too Deep and His Fortune Went Smash.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The life of a young man made a million out of nothing in two years, lost it in three months and has now gone into voluntary bankruptcy with assets of \$150.

In the United States District Court, Jacob S. Halprin, who recently lived in West One Hundred and Eighth street, but now has no residence, filed a petition in bankruptcy, placing his liabilities at \$1,141,212.57. His secured liabilities are estimated at \$253,250, while his assets are \$150.

Halprin, who is a young man with a wife and children, associated himself with two other young men in a speculative building business. The firm was known as the Lenox Building Association and it erected flats in Harlem. They had practically not a dollar, but managed to scrape together enough to secure a building plot with a big mortgage and an equity of a couple of thousand dollars in it. Then they obtained a loan from a bank and put up one story of the building, mortgaged that and put up a second story. By this process they erected a fair-looking apartment house, which they packed with tenants and sold at a handsome profit.

This venture put the concern on its feet and automobiles for the husbands and suitcases for the wives were in order.

Another operation was conducted to a successful issue and Halprin found himself quoted in the seven-figure class.

No sooner had the partners put up a house, growing under mortgage upon every story, than along came a man eager to buy it at a fancy increase over the cost, assuming the mortgage.

The banks which loaned the money for the operations, suggested that the company go in deeper. The Lenox Building Association was prosperous and prominent and the partners were millionaires on paper.

Then came the slump. Money lenders wanted 8 per cent. for mortgages and 3 and 4 per cent. in commissions and bonuses.

But the partners continued to put up three six-story apartment buildings, forty foot front each, with all the latest wrinkles, in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street near Lenox avenue. The houses went up story by story in the usual way, weighted down with mortgages.

Now Halprin and his associates must fill their houses with tenants paying top figures before purchasers can be lured. A dozen agents were appealed to but the houses remained vacant. Interest was overdue.

Nine months ago the crash came. Halprin went to bed one night a millionaire on paper; next morning he was worth a million less than nothing. Then came foreclosures, suits on builders' liens and all the legal harassments. Debtors rang the doorbell for money when Halprin did not know where to get any for the wife and babies.

Today's petition winds up Halprin's brief million. He has moved from his late home. His lawyer does not know where he is staying and he is said to be anxiously looking for work such as that for which he formerly employed dozens of men.

EASY MONEY.

BUSINESS MEN GIVE UP CASH.

CALIFORNIA LAND SCHEME CATCHES NEW YORKERS.

Young Man Peeling as Agent of Southern Pacific Secures Contributions, but an Official of Road Says no Man Answering His Description is in Company's Employ.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representing himself as an agent in the colonization department of the Southern Pacific Railroad, a man who gives his name as J. R. Bliss has been canvassing the downtown district and inducing business men to subscribe \$20 toward the expense of a trip to California, where he says there is a large tract of land that can be purchased and held for great profit, with a map showing a large tract in Southern California, at a place called San Rafael.

"Mr. Bliss" explains that he is forming a group of 300 prospective buyers to go to California to look at the property.

As he is an extremely fluent talker he has little difficulty in interesting his hearers. He declares that the expense of those who go on the trip are to be paid, but he asks for a deposit of \$20 as a guarantee of good faith. How many persons he has seen and how much money he has collected is not known.

L. H. Nutting, general eastern passenger agent of the Southern Pacific Railroad, issued a statement yesterday that no person named J. R. Bliss is employed by the company or authorized to act for it in any capacity.

FOR NERVOUS DISORDERS.

Take Hovard's Acid Phosphate. Restores strength and induces refreshing sleep without the use of dangerous drugs.

Change in Southern Pacific Time. Effective Sunday, September 1, train No. 17 now leaving Los Angeles for San Francisco via the Coast Line at 4 p. m. will leave at 3:30 p. m. A new train No. 307, will be put on the Valley Line for Fresno, leaving Arcade Depot at 4:30 p. m. Trains at 10:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. now arriving at Los Angeles at 7:45 p. m. will arrive at 8:00 p. m.

New train No. 108 from Fresno will arrive at 1:30 a. m. Train service for Bendizer, Huntington Beach and Newport Beach by way of the new line from Benedict Junction to San Clemente, will be in effect on and after September 1. Trains leaving Los Angeles at 5:15 p. m. and arriving at 11:30 a. m. daily.

LEGAL LUMINARIES MEET.

International Law Association's Second American Convention Opens at Portland, Me.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.) PORTLAND (Me.) Aug. 29.—Members of the legal fraternity, representing the principal countries of Europe and America, are in attendance at the twenty-fourth annual conference of the International Law Association, which opened today. This is the second time the association has held a conference in the United States.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Honorary president, Simon E. Baldwin, L.L.D., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Errors, Connecticut; president, Rt. Hon. Lord Justice Kennedy, L.L.D., Court of Appeals, London.

E. Evans Darby, London, read a paper on "Intermittent Progress of International Arbitration." The British Ambassador, made a brief address, stating that, in his opinion, the sentiments of the American people are in favor of those objects whose accomplishment is the aim of the International Law Association. He believed the association was doing a great work in having the world for points likely to come before courts of arbitration.

TRUSTING YOUTH.

TELLER RUNYAN EASILY WORKED.

DEFAULTING BANK EMPLOYEE TELLS OF THEFT.

He Confesses That He Had Known Mrs. Carter Less Than Two Weeks When He Gave Her \$15,000 of the Amount He Carried Away in Suit Case.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—Chester B. Runyan, the defaulting teller of the Windsor Trust Company, had known Laura M. Carter only two weeks and had been in her company less than twelve hours altogether, when he gave her \$15,000, according to his testimony at the trial today.

Mrs. Carter is charged with having received money which she knew to have been stolen. Runyan was the principal witness against her. Asked if he did not think he was inviting disaster when he showed the \$15,000 which he had taken from the bank to the woman on the street, he replied: "I don't know. I don't think that it ever occurred to me."

He said that up to the time he offered Mrs. Carter \$500 to keep him but of the way of the police for two or three months, he had never thought of deserting his wife and home. At that time he did not have a dollar. When he left the bank with the suit case stuffed with bank notes, he had no idea how much money it contained. The packages of bills had been picked up at random and thrown into the suit case.

The first time he knew the exact amount of his findings was when he counted the money in the presence of Mrs. Carter in the flat which she had engaged as a refuge for him.

OSCULATORY SEANCE. MEDIUM KISSED FIVE MINUTES.

FRIEND OF MRS. PEPPER PECKED THROUGH KEYHOLE.

Beautiful, but Unknown Woman, Testifies in Case of Edward Vanderbilt. That Spook Priestess on One Occasion Was Ardently Embarrassed by an Aged Man.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Her identity concealed and efforts to discover it meeting with a threat of fine and imprisonment, a beautiful, well-dressed woman, about 35 years old, was the chief witness this afternoon in the inquiry into the mental condition of Edward Vanderbilt, whose daughter has instituted proceedings to have him declared mentally incompetent, subsequent upon his wedding to Mrs. May Pepper, a Spiritualistic medium.

Attired in a blue silk dress, modestly cut, a blue hat with white flowers and a thick blue veil, the woman, a striking brunette, calmly took the witness stand. A jurymen asked her to remove her veil, and she did so. She first identified a picture of Mrs. Pepper-Vanderbilt in decollete costume. She said she had known Mrs. Pepper for a long time in Providence, R. I., and here. She mentioned the names of several men whom she said she and Mrs. Pepper had known.

Among those she named were J. Edward Allen, 75 years old, of Providence, R. I.; Frederick K. Libby, 50 years old; Mr. Maynard, a member of the Spiritualistic church in Brooklyn, and a Mr. Winslow, who, the witness said, was engaged to Mrs. Pepper, committed suicide.

The mysterious witness said that the Mr. Allen, on one occasion, entered Mrs. Pepper's room and kissed her ardently for five minutes. The witness said she was looking through the keyhole at the time. More than a year ago, alleged the witness, Mrs. Pepper used to refer to Bright Eyes, a spirit which Mr. Vanderbilt asserts put him in communication with his first wife, now dead. Bright Eyes, Mrs. Pepper said, according to the witness, liked Mr. Allen, but objected to Mr. Libby. At the home of Mrs. Pepper and her sister, Harriet Somers, the witness, there were two roosters named "Allen" and "Fred" for the men mentioned.

Mrs. Pepper told her, said the systematic woman in blue, that she did not believe in the Bible. Her views on love were that it was not eternal, said the witness, and that one person might love many. Mrs. Pepper, some time after her meeting Mr. Vanderbilt, told the witness, the latter said, he did not love her, and if he proposed marriage to her she "would put him in his place."

On January 1, 1904, said the witness, Mr. Markwell entered a parlor where Mrs. Pepper was, and, greeting her with, "Hello, Chief," kissed her.

MRS. TAFT STARTS WEST.

Will Join Secretary at Billings, Mont., and Tour Yellowstone Park.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

ST. PAUL, Aug. 29.—Mrs. William H. Taft arrived in St. Paul today from Sault Ste. Marie. She will leave this afternoon on the Northern Pacific to join the Secretary at Billings, Mont., and together they will journey through the Yellowstone Park.

MARKED BY FATE.

ARMY OFFICERS' SONS PERISH.

FOURTH VIOLENT DEATH DURING PRESENT SUMMER.

Headquarters and Staff of Department of Lakes Are Unfortunate. Latest Victim of Accident is Son of Gen. Carter, Electrocuted While at College.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Some amazing fatality seems to hang above the headquarters and staff of the Department of the Lakes, United States army.

It was recalled at headquarters that the accidental electrocution of Brig. Gen. William H. Carter's son makes the fourth violent death this summer among sons of high officers connected with the department.

Gen. Carter himself took note of the black marks which fate was recording against the members of the headquarters staff when word was brought to him recently that a third violent death had been suffered by some of his officers.

"It would seem as if this office had been marked by fate," he said. Gen. Carter's son, L. H. Carter, who was killed at the University of Illinois Tuesday by coming into contact with a live wire, was the fourth victim among sons of officers of the headquarters staff.

Others killed during the last year were Midshipman James F. Cruise, son of Maj. Cruise, now quartermaster at Omaha; Guy Easton, son of Maj. Frank H. Easton, chief commissary officer; Reginald Dodd, son of Lieut. Col. G. A. Dodd, Gen. Carter's chief of staff.

BLADE TO DROP.

GUILLOTINE TO BE RESTORED.

THERE IS WORK IN PROSPECT FOR PARIS EXECUTIONER.

Relic of Reign of Terror in Putting Criminals to Death Again Will Be Utilized as Result of Epidemic Attacks Upon Women and Children.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

PARIS, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As the result of an epidemic of attacks on women and children which is sweeping over France it is probable that the guillotine will be restored.

So strongly was public opinion in favor of abolishing this horrible means of execution—a relic of the reign of terror—that the Chamber of Deputies two years ago refused to make an appropriation for the executioner's pay, and the official quit the country, out of a job. The atrocious murder of a child by a thug named Sollicitant, with many similar crimes, has so stirred up the country that beheading is likely to be reintroduced, especially as the Chamber has reconsidered its action of two years ago and has set apart a sum for the remuneration of the executioner.

The high court today denied the appeal of Sollicitant, who was condemned to death for the murder of a child. The public and the newspapers are calling for an example to be made of the dockers' labor troubles continue much longer. Antwerp will lose its rank as the third most important port in Europe.

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has been so modified that it may lead to a general understanding on the subject.

It leaves each nation free to bind itself to submit to arbitration in cases, a list of which is furnished, which may arise between that nation and any other countries the signatory nation may select.

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Proposition Suggested Which May Result in Agreement on Subject of Arbitration.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.) THE HAGUE, Aug. 29.—The British proposition before the Peace Conference, regarding obligatory arbitration.

Steamers sail empty. Owing to strike at Antwerp Freight is Left Lying on the Docks.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.) ANTWERP, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The president of the Chamber of Commerce declares that if the dockers' labor troubles continue much longer, Antwerp will lose its rank as the third most important port in Europe.

Steamers are departing empty every day, leaving cargoes on the docks. In some cases Hindoo and Chinese sailors have acted as dockers for their own steamers. The burgomasters will not permit the starving men to assemble in the streets.

English colliers are sending coal to Zee Bruges, the new port of the city of Bruges, instead of to Antwerp.

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MRS. KATE LEVY. I am a sufferer from a weak stomach and when I become very weary, over-heated or eat anything which does not readily digest, I have severe pains in the bowels and they become very loose. I have used various remedies which I found gave relief, but they often upset my stomach so that I would vomit easily. Since I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I have found more benefit than I ever experienced before. One dose is enough to stop the pain or regulate the bowels, and I find that I am not troubled as often as I used to be. I therefore gladly endorse this remedy. Miss Kate Levy, 1219 S. Robertson St., New Orleans, Louisiana.

EDWARD THOMPSON. Two years ago I was cured of a severe attack of cholera morbus by the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. My wife has also used it a number of times with the best results, and it cured our baby of cholera infantum. I believe it saved the child's life. The attack was a severe one, but this remedy overcame the difficulty. For the past year we have never been without it in the house. Edward Thompson, 629 North Upper St., Lexington, Ky. Pipeman Central Engine House, Lexington Fire Department.

MRS. LORRELLA WATSON. Last fall I had a bad bowel complaint. My bowels were running for over a week and I could hardly stand. The stomach was so weak I could not eat and I was mixed with blood. My doctor's medicine did not help me. I tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for myself and I found it worked better than I had expected. I was able to eat and sleep and my bowels were regular. I therefore gladly endorse this remedy. Mrs. Lorrell Watson, 1219 S. Robertson St., New Orleans, Louisiana.

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RAILROAD RECORD.
REDUCED RATE
IS ABOLISHED.Passengers' Excursions Are
Stopped in West.The Act Is Responsible
for New Move.Certificate Form of Ticket
Done Away With.

DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dis-
patch.] Reduced one-half rates in
passenger excursions are to be abolished throughout
the territory on and after Janu-
ary 1 next.The reason for this move was put into
effect to prevent the scalping of pas-
senger tickets. Since the passage of
the act, it has been held il-
legal to make such reductions with-
out giving thirty days' notice and
without the approval of the Inter-
state Commerce Commission.The move involved considerable labor and
expense, to avoid which the Western
Passenger Association voted to abol-
ish them, provided the southwestern
roads would do the same. By a vote
of 10 to 2 the Western Passenger
Association they have now agreed to do so.Another change to be brought about
by the passage of the 2-cent passenger-
law in several States is the aboli-
tion of the certificate form of ticket.
The southwestern roads have
agreed to do away with it at the end
of the present year.MILK AND BUTTER.
COMMON CARRIERS
ARE ENJOINED.RESTRaining ORDER AGAINST
NEW MILK AND BUTTER RATE.Railroads and Express Companies
Alleged of Conspiracy by Cream-
ery Companies of Middle West Re-
presenting \$50,000,000 Capital—Com-
mission Possible.

DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dis-
patch.] After hearing charges of con-
spiracy in an application for an in-
junction from fourteen creamery com-
panies of the Middle West, represent-
ing \$50,000,000 capital, Judge Kohlsaat,
of the United States Circuit Court, to-
day entered a temporary restraining
order against the railroad companies,
and five express companies re-
sisting them from establishing a new
rate on shipments of cream, milk and
butter that the holding concerns allege to be un-
reasonable and prohibitive.The date set by the court for the
hearing on the application for in-
junctions. In the meantime, it is
said, a meeting of creamery com-
pany representatives and officials of the
railway and express companies is be-
ing planned for the purpose of pos-
sible compromise.Protest against the proposed action
of the railway companies has been
made with the Interstate Commerce
Commission, but it is not to be con-
sidered within a year, according to
attorneys for the complainants and,
in this reason, the Circuit Court in-
junction is being sought.

SEEING OREGON.

Mr. Harriman Will Start Today on
an Extensive Automobile
Trip.BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
Klamath Falls (Or.) Aug. 29.—Four
automobiles arrived at Fort
Klamath today in charge of General
O'Brien of the Harriman lines
Oregon to conduct E. H. Harriman
through Central Oregon.Mr. Harriman visited Crater Lake
yesterday and spent today at Fort
Klamath.Mr. Harriman will start on an auto-
mobile trip tomorrow, leaving his sons
Odell, where they will continue to
accompany him. His father at Ash-
land, Or., next week.

DISCRIMINATION ALLEGED.

Lumbermen's Committee Are Charged
With Receiving Special Conces-
sions from Railroads.BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
OLYMPIA (Wash.) Aug. 29.—For-
mal charges have been lodged with
the State Railroad Commission by E.
Cheney, secretary and treasurer of the
Wynocoe Lumber and Shingle
company of Montesano, declaring that
certain members of the lumbermen's
association appointed to conduct the
investigation against the railroads are re-
ceiving special concessions from the
railroads.The commission has asked Cheney to
go to Olympia and make the matter up
with the State Railroad Commission.
Cheney, with a view to the
investigation against the company to
penalties for the alleged discrimi-
nation.

PERISHABLE PRODUCTS.

Express Service Is Promised
Between San Francisco and Los
Angeles.BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
STOCKTON, Aug. 29.—On September
1 the Western Express company will
commence a special express service
between San Francisco and Los An-
geles for the accommodation of ship-
pers of perishable products.The train, which will be made up
of express and local refrigerators, will
carry no passengers. Arrangements
will be made to accommodate shippers
at San Joaquin and Sacramento
and special cars for the use of
shippers will be sent out or taken
in at all important points.The service will be no advance in rates
and the service will be greatly im-
proved.

HILL IS PESSIMISTIC.

Railroad Magnate Thinks Government's
Attitude Is Cause of
Uncertainty.BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
NEW YORK, Aug. 29.—James J. Hill
last night yesterday on one of his fre-
quent visits to this city.

New Fall Catalog Ready
About Sept. 15. Send for it

The Broadway Department Store

Arthur Letts

Broadway, Cor. 4th Los Angeles

A Big Friday Bargain

Suits Waists Skirts
\$5 to \$10.50 Values IncludedCome to the second floor today to share in
the great value groupings at \$3.00.

Jumper Suits \$3.00

Worth \$5.00 and \$10.50.
Made of Scotch and French gingham; plaid,
stripes and checks; formerly sold at
\$5.00 and \$10.50. Today \$3.00.

Coat Suits \$3.00

Worth \$5.00 to \$10.50.
They are made of poplin, Indiantown and linen, made in stem, pony coat and
jumper suits. Regular prices \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$9.00 and \$10.00, all go at
\$3.00 today.

Beautiful Waists \$3.00

Worth \$5.00 to \$10.50.
Waists of taffeta, china and mesaline silks;
fancy and plain colors; also waists of
lawn, mull and lingerie; many trimmed with
lace and embroidery; great variety of styles.
\$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50 and \$9.00 values all go at
\$3.00.

Shirtwaist Suits \$3.00

Worth \$5.00 to \$10.50.
Made of white lawn, dotted
swiss, figured swiss and mull,
also French gingham in
black and white checks,
plaids, etc. \$5.00, \$6.00 and
\$7.50 values \$3.00 today.

Silk Kimonos \$3.00

Worth \$5.00 to \$10.50.
Silk kimonos of dotted swiss and lawn, in long and short
sleeves, many in large figured patterns; regular \$4.50,
\$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.00 ones. For today bargain, \$3.00.

Cloth Skirts \$3.00

Worth \$5.00 to \$10.50.
Chiffon Panama, fancy striped silks and mohair skirts in
brown, black and navy; several styles in full plated models;
marked \$4.50, \$5 and \$7.50. Today's price \$3.

Bathing Suits \$3.00

Worth \$5.00 to \$10.50.
Navy and black bathing suits for women. They are made of fine quality mo-
hair. Second floor, today \$3.00.

Carnations 2 Dozen for 25c. Asters 2 Dozen for 25c

Roses 50c dozen; Plumosa plants 10c each; floral designs
\$1.00 and up. A few special features from our floral de-
partment. Aisle 5.

Children's 75c Dresses 50c

Good gingham dresses, neatly trimmed with braid and
bands of pique; ages 6 to 14. 75c value at 50c. Third floor.

25c Nazareth Waists 15c

These are seconds of regular 25c kind. Third floor.

CONTEST EXPECTED.
LITIGATION IS
SURE TO COME.COURTS MUST DECIDE AN IMPOR-
TANT POINT.Dispute Arises Between Shippers
and Interstate Commerce Com-
mission Over Question of Uniform Car
Service Charges and Rules—Traf-
fic League Takes It Up.BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dis-
patch.] The railroads are confronting
more trouble as a result of a dispute
between the Interstate Commerce Com-
mission and the shippers over uniform
car service charges and rules.The commission recently notified the
railroads that unless they agree upon
uniform rules and charges for
detention of cars in loading or unloading
it would go to Congress and ask
for a law providing for the registra-
tion of car service by the commission.
According to this, the railroads
have arranged for a conference here in
September on the subject of car serv-
ice rules and charges.Today it developed at the meeting of
the National Industrial Traffic League
that a majority of the principal ship-
pers of freight in the country are
strongly opposed to the adoption by
the railroads of uniform charges for
car service. The shippers declare that
car service is a local proposition, and
that uniform rules and charges would
be a very unjust imposition on the
part of one city or section of the coun-
try would be very unjust in another
and would greatly injure trade.The shippers also contend that the
Interstate Commerce Commission has
no authority over car service rules
after the transportation has been com-
pleted and the consignee notified that
the freight is subject to his order.After that, according to the opinion of
the committee itself in the famous St.
Louis case, the railroads cease to be a
common carrier under the provisions of
its bills of lading, and assumes only
the character of a warehouse owner.For this reason the shippers contend
the Interstate Commerce Commission
has no jurisdiction over demurrage on
freight or cars.Some of the railroads agree with the
views of the shippers and predict that
the question of uniform car service
charges will not be settled until a long
investigation by the Interstate Com-
merce Commission and tedious litigation
in the courts. In any event, the
railroads will have to bear the brunt
of the contest between the shippers and
the Interstate Commerce Commission
over uniform car service rules and
charges.SIGNIFICANT ACTION
TAKEN BY LEAGUE.BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dis-
patch.] The National Industrial Traffic
League, representing over 20,000 in-
dividuals, firms and corporations, from
New York to Kansas City and St. Paul
and Minneapolis to New Orleans, gathered
today at the Great Northern Hotel
to consider the propositions framed by
the Executive Committee, which met the day before.The league adjourned to meet in
Washington, D. C., some time in Oc-
tober, the exact date to be determined
after taking up the proposals with the
Interstate Commerce Commission.Resolutions indorsing the suggestions
of Commissioner Prouty as enunciated
at Portland before the Bar Association,
and asking that the commission have
added to its present personnel men ofability in traffic and commercial mat-
ters, were unanimously passed.The most significant action of the
league was the passage of the resolu-
tions indorsing railroad associations,
and asking that the Sherman anti-
trust law be amended so as to give
such bodies legal standing.The action is in line with the utter-
ances of President Roosevelt and the
commission, it being provided that
such associations, committees, or bu-
reaux shall be subject to the supervi-
sion of the commission, that the right of
individual action by any carrier be
prevented and that the shipping pub-
lic be protected against arbitrary ac-
tion. Pooling, in the accepted mean-
ing of the term, was heartily condemned.AFTER THE BATTLE.
HARRAHAN IN
DEFIANT MOOD.WILL TAKE BACK NOTHING
ABOUT STUYVESANT FISH.Denies That He Was Worsted in
Fist Fight With His Predecessor as
President of the Illinois Central in
Board Meeting in New York—Eyes
Are Not Blackened.BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dis-
patch.] James T. Harahan, president
of the Illinois Central Railroad, reached
Chicago late this afternoon, and, as
he alighted from the Pennsylvania
train at the Union passenger sta-
tion, he was met by a group of bat-
tles in the directors' meeting of the
road at New York."I will take back nothing I have said
about Mr. Fish," said Mr. Harahan,
with emphasis, in reply to the state-
ment that he had called his pre-
decessor a liar in the board meeting
was not incorrect.Mr. Harahan arrived on the Chicago
special over the Pennsylvania, and was
accompanied by his son. He was
greeted at the station by a group of
newspaper men."Have you seen the newspaper ac-
counts that you were knocked down
and out by Mr. Fish?" he was asked.
"No, I have not," he replied. Then,
after a pause, "Do I look like a man
that had been knocked out?""The reports had it that your eyes
were blackened," persisted the in-
terviewer. "Were they?"Mr. Harahan pushed back the peaked
cap which he wore, and, looking at
his questioners, asked:
"Do they look as if they had been
blackened?"He denied that he had been worsted
by Mr. Fish.

SPY SCARE CONTINUES.

Japanese Become Excited by Vicious
Attacks in Press Upon
Foreigners.BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
YOKOHAMA, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive
Dispatch.] The Russian spy scare con-
tinues in the irresponsible section of
the press, which is continuing its vi-
cious attacks upon foreigners, even
upon Japanese who are alleged to have
had communication with Mayeda, the
sensational murder of whom as an al-
leged spy has fired the people, or with
Russians suspected of being his ac-
complices.The excitement is so great that the
Marquise Seino, the Premier, has is-
sued special instructions to local offi-
cials throughout the country to exert
every influence to impress upon the
people the groundlessness of these

Bargain Friday No. 399

The Last Friday in August

The Last Friday of the Blue Pencil Sale

Store will be closed all day Monday—Labor Day. Today is the last full trading day before
next Tuesday. Next to the last day of the Blue Pencil Sale. A combination that has
drawn out our best efforts to make it a day full of value meaning to you. Come with the
crowds today. Remember, values are just as we state them to be.

Friday's Sale Sheets and Pillow Cases

At Less Than Wholesale Cost

Today, on the third floor, we give you an opportunity to buy sheets and pil-
low cases at prices that could not be duplicated today in the wholesale
market. An illustration of how it pays to trade at the Broadway.

81x90 Sheets 39c—From 8 to 9 a. m.

Remember, these are just for an hour. 100 dozen full sized sheets 2 1/4 yards
wide by 2 1/4 yards long, 3-inch hem at top, finished in center; you
could not purchase the material alone at this price. Only 3 to a customer.
No phone or mail orders. None delivered. 39c.

81x90 Empire Sheets 49c

An extra value at the regular price; made of good quality sheeting, full
size, 3-inch hem at top, finished seam in center, it's less than the material
would cost you. No phone or mail orders. All day today, 49c.

81x90 Seamless Sheets 59c

A great value—this seamless. Think of it. 3-inch hem at top; size 2 1/4
yards long by 2 1/4 yards wide. The wholesale price today is more than we
are asking. Only 6 to a customer. No phone or mail orders. Third floor.

42x36 Inch Pillow Cases 8c

500 dozen bleached pillow cases; made of good quality muslin, size 42x36.
No phone or mail orders. This is a sale price worth hurrying for. Cotton
is up and going higher. Third floor, 8c.

Anniversary Sale Groceries

Continues Today

The annual pricing time. Good groceries at much less than regular.
Friday's list follows:

2c Bottle Catsup

COUNTRY CLUB BRAND
From 8 to 9 a. m. 7c
Size such as usually sold for 12c else-
where; limit 6 to a customer; no deliv-
ery except with other groceries; no phone
or mail orders. Today from 8 to 9 a. m.,
10 Lbs. Sugar 55c—Limit 10 lbs. No de-
livery except with other groceries.Broadway Special Coffee, Lb. 25c—Fresh
and crisp; for refreshing dishes these hot
days.
3 Cans Sardines 25c—Norwegian
smoked sardines.
2 Lbs. Fancies Prunes 25c—Largest
prunes sold; full 1 1/2c values.
2 Cans Tomatoes 15c—Full standard
tomatoes; dozen cans 67c.
50c Bottle Olive Oil 41c.
Eastern Bacon, Lb. 21c—Sugar-cured,
juicy, sweet bacon.FRESH BREAD—LOAF 3 1/2c
HOME-MADE PIES 15c
Visit our delicious counter for
ready foods; moderate cost, conven-
ient, delicious.

15c Batiste

From 8 to 9 a. m. 5c
Outline batiste, fine sheer quality; white grounds,
neat outline figures; limit 12 yards;
none delivered. From 8 to 9 only 5c yd.

8 1/2c Dress Gingham

From 8 to 10 a. m. 5c
Full lines of dress ginghams; light and dark colors;
only 12 yards to a customer. On sale today on the
third floor, from 8 to 10 a. m.In the
BasementGalvanized Wash Tubs 95c
These are the largest size,
worth 50c regularly. Friday
bargain.
1c Shelf Paper 2 1/2c for 10
yards of shelf paper in all
colors; lace edge. None de-
livered.
Ironing Wax 3 for 5c.THE
Chelsea ClockThe best clock made in
America. We are sell-
ing agents for Southern
California.

SEE OUR DISPLAY

S. Nordlinger &
Sons. Gold and Silversmiths
Established, 1889
323 So. Spring St.

ME JOLIED THE PREACHER.

Made Facetious Response in Marriage
Ceremony and Was Shown
the Door.BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
WORCESTER (Mass.) Aug. 29.—[Ex-
clusive Dispatch.] Because George C.
Rice, a wealthy business man of Leominster, banded words with the min-
ister he asked to marry him to his
housekeeper, Miss Clara Annie Wood,
he was shown out of the house of the
Rev. Dr. O. W. Hutchinson.Everything went along smoothly un-
til the minister propounded: "Do you
take this woman to be your lawful
wedded wife?" and Rice said: "I'll
take a chance."That ended it. The minister showed
the couple to the door. They are still
unmarried.

APPRECIATION OF ROOSEVELT.

Prof. Schieman of Germany Classes
President With Washington and
Lincoln.BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.
BERLIN, Aug. 29.—[Exclusive Dis-
patch.] "Even his errors do honor in
every case to his personality," writes
Prof. Schieman, in an article on Presi-
dent Roosevelt, which appears in the
Inter National Wochenblatt.The professor places the President
in the same class as Washington,
Jackson and Lincoln, while thinking
that President Roosevelt probably in-
fluenced the American people more
than any of the other Presidents, he
mentions, "through his peculiarities of
character, imagination, will-power and
practical politics," among American
statesmen, President Roosevelt, as
his appreciation of German character
and in his confidence in it.

SIXTY THOUSAND HOMELESS.

About Fifteen Thousand Houses De-
stroyed in Fire at Hakodate,
Japan.BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
YOKOHAMA, Aug. 29.—Advices re-
ceived from the American Consulate
at Hakodate place the loss caused by
the conflagration there at \$15,000,000.
About 15,000 houses, varying in value,
were burned, and 60,000 people rendered
homeless.

Send For Fall Catalog
Ready About Sept. 15

The Broadway Department Store

Arthur Letts

Broadway, Cor. 4th Los Angeles

August Sale Rugs

Continues Today

This rug store is winning new friends dur-
ing this August sale. Floor coverings of all
kinds are going out quickly. New features
Friday, beginning with

\$4.00 Wilton Rugs \$1.98

Persian patterns and Turkish designs, in
rich Oriental colors; regular price \$4.00; size
21x36. Friday's price \$1.98, 3rd floor.

\$5.00 CREX GRASS RUGS \$3.48

These come in green, red or blue. Just right
for porch or summer cottage. \$5.00 ones
at \$3.48.SIZE 8x10—\$7.50 ONES AT \$4.98
SIZE 9x12—\$10.00 ONES AT \$6.48

ALL WOOL ART SQUARES.

The very best of quality, the very
best of design, in tan and green
mostly. Compare these prices with
any you see about town:Size 7x9 at \$2.48
Size 9x9 at \$3.48
Size 9x10 at \$4.48
Size 9x12 at \$5.48

Wool Art Squares At Sale Prices.

Not all wool, but serviceable; look
like the best; finest of patterns and
colorings; tan and green predom-
inate. Prices as follows:Size 7x9 at \$2.48
Size 9x9 at \$3.48
Size 9x10 at \$4.48
Size 9x12 at \$5.48

\$5.00 Axminster Rugs \$3.98

3x6 Sanford's rugs; Oriental patterns and floral designs; splendid variety.
Regular \$5.00 ones at \$3.98.

BODY BRUSSELS RUGS \$2.98

Size 4 1/2x6 feet—just a quarter of the
size of the Brussels rug that would
sell ordinarily at \$35.00.

60c Cork Linoleum 39c

Not remnants, but full pieces. All you want—a full carload to choose from,
just received. Tile patterns and geometrical designs. Time now to cover your
kitchen, bathroom and pantry floor. 50c yard today.

\$1.50 Brown Silk Gloves \$1.05

16-Button Style

For a Friday bargain, 16-button brown silk gloves; leather
and onion shades; are most in demand now; regular price
\$1.50. Today, aisle 3, \$1.05.

Silk Mesh Gloves 25c

Formerly Sold at \$1.00

Two-clasp white silk gloves. A clean-up price today 25c.
They formerly sold at \$1.00.

For Friday and Saturday

A few sharp price reductions on desirable merchandise to
stimulate business for the end of the week. Lowman never
advertises unless he has extraordinary values to offer. Drop
in today or tomorrow and supply your needs at the following
prices:

Underwear

A special purchase of fine imported French
lace lisle underwear, in pink or blue—regu-
lar price \$1.50 per garment—95c
on sale today and tomorrow.Broken lines and odd lots of
men's summer underwear in
all sizes and colors; regular
prices range up to \$1.00.
Choice of the lot to-
day and tomorrow... 45c

Shirts

FOR SALE—

FOR SALE—COTTAGES AND BUNGALOWS.

We have some fine ones, completed on the
SILVER PLAZA No. 2.

Modern in every detail; bath, toilet, refrigerator,
hot and cold water, electric lights, new
hatch porch, aldehyde, new paint; lawns, 6
trees, etc.

Have sold 11 in the tract alone, lately.

Best of improvements; Petrolin's oil
streets; excellent car service; good restrictions.

We are also building rapidly in our new
SOUTHWEST TRACT.

Where we are putting in the very best
of improvements and building modern homes
expect to build over 40 in this tract.

Have already sold 10 in the tract, including
modern cottages and bungalows; 3 sold

Monday and Tuesday evenings.
You can select your lot in either tract, will build to suit you, and in other cases you can build a small detached bungalow and BALANCE MONTHLY, including interest.

SPECIAL DISCOUNT GIVEN BY US.

To all who buy or have us build for them this tract.

See US ABOUT THIS SPECIAL DISCOUNT.

LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT CO.
377 & 3811 st.
American Bldg. Co. Bldg. Dept. All
Largest co-operative building company in
the West.

FOR SALE

3000. A ROUND BUY.
WESTLAKE DISTRICT.
\$2000. HOME.

LOCATION—

Will sell you a really attractive home exclusive Westlake district, this will be the built. A substantial 7000 sq. ft. house on an elevated lot, near

specially designed lighting fixtures
 and decorative accessories.
RECEPTION HALL—
 Finished in antique oak, commodious
 attractive quarters with four doors
 and throughout the house.
LIVING ROOM—
 Equipped with built-in seats, inlaid
 brick chimney, large windows, finished
 with oak and with beamed ceiling and
 paneled wall.
DINING ROOM—
 Casement windows, round paneled
 workwood finished in oak; elegant
 built-in buffet with hard metal top
 and glass windows, etc.
 The kitchen is modernly equipped with
 inlaid and abundance of drawers
 and shelves; sleeping rooms on second floor
 bed in ivory-dalsty and attractive.
 home is a superb bargain at the price.
ALTHOUSE BROOKS,
SUITES 611-19 21-23-25,
500 SUMMIT ST., CHICAGO, ILL.
436 SOUTH BROADWAY.

IDEAL HOME PLACE
IS MINUTE, CONVENIENT AND MOD-
EST, IN BEST PART OF ALHAMBRA
surrounded by elegant homes; 8-room
modern and comfortable. HEAVY GAS,
lights, heat of plumbing, etc. TWO
ONE-HALF ACRES OF THE BEST LAND
THIS WORLD with hundreds of young
trees, cunes and shrubs in great variety
of choice; swimming pool, tennis
courts, etc.; cheap water for irrigation;
to schools and churches; its blocks from
parked cars and street cars.
ONLY NINE CASH TO HANDLE
IN THIS RELEASE
Within 3 years this place can be made
pay 10 per cent. on \$50,000 valuation.
See H. W. MARSHALL & CO.,
316 Pacific Electric Bldg., Main Bldg., 77
N. 1st St., ALHAMBRA, CALIF.
OR
ALHAMBRA REALTY CO.,
Alhambra

FOR SALE BY OWNER.
COST 1-ROOM 1-STORY HOUSE ON

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have as my car, and I can let you have it for \$100.00. I can let you have the street car will let you off at the corner.

Doris 229; D184 Brooklyn and Hovan st.

FOR SALE—
A REAL BUNGALOW BARGAIN.

Six-room modern bungalow in the West Adams district. Every possible modern convenience. Large front porch, tiled kitchen, gas, beamed ceiling, paneled walls. All rooms are very large and the finish is of the highest quality. The location is the best of the street, convenient to West Adams. The property is in excellent condition. Price \$14,500. We can deliver for \$12,000, cash.

"IT TAY TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WINTERS COMPANY,
234 Laughlin Bldg. Main 3357, Home 4.

FOR SALE—HOUSE.

Large, comfortable house, located in East R.W. Lot 1240; just 1/2 block from East R.W. This place has large reception room running the whole length of the house, large dining room, glass pantry adjoining, music room,

It might be a good idea to look through the Yellow Pages for \$200.00 and \$250.00 then let us show this one for \$7500. It is a never been occupied, but must be seen. BRICK-UPPERN CORNER
233 S. Hill st. Both pages

FOR SALE-TAKE NOTICE. PROPERTY
owners along Temple street.

There is a move by speculators to get all the real estate along the street, by option or otherwise, and then boost the price high that no one can afford to build. We think that the speculators are wrong. The property, be the speculator yourself. Sell it cheap, borrow and make back what you have lost.

BY CITIZENS COMMITTEE

FOR SALE-
A BEAUTIFUL BUNGALOW.
FINE-TERMS OF SALE.
Five 6-room, new and modern bungalow southwest. New location; hardwood floors, tile roof, and all modern conveniences. Call on Mrs. J. H. Smith, 1011 1/2 S. 1st St.

ing room extends entirely across the front
of large bedroom; also contains large bath,
kitchen and screen porch; lot \$1800 to aff-
ord a decided bargain.

— CHAS. F. LUEKE with —
CLIFF F. PATTERSON CO.
326 Union Trust Bldg.
PAST, MAIL ROOM.

FOR SALE

—
AWFUL SACRIFICE
OWNERS LEAVING CITY.

—

Price \$1100; \$100 down, balance \$10.00 monthly,
buys a lovely little home, close on a la-
rge school, and car line; kitchen on a
worth total \$1500. See my agents, STEVEN
GROM, corner E. 9th and Hooper ave. or
see

FOR SALE

ONLY \$200 CASH-FORCED SALE
OWNED BY A FOREIGNER TO BE SOLD
and fine perfectly new attractive
roomy home, southwest, close in, best
lot, deep, double garage, modern plumbing,
porcelain stationary tub, very modern gas
stove.

This week. Only \$300.00 cash to finish, if not
 unique merrier will be taken immediately.
 THE STEPHEN INDER COMPANY,
 522 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. 3d
 Main. Phone Main 9745, Home AR15.

Here is a beauty! It is a nice large room
 bungalow, situated in the southeast
 part of the city. It has a large lot.
 It has furnace and cellar and the prettiest
 living room that you could imagine. It
 has the best terms and cheapest
 for the price we can offer it for the money.
 Call for more particulars.

THE BURCK-UTWYN COMPANY,
 323 S. Hill st. Both phones

FOR SALE—HUGE, BARGAIN, BEAUTIFUL
 home & room bungalow. All latest
 improvements. Call terms and check
 Central Ave. cor. 352d., owner.

THINGS ON WHEELS
—●—
AUTOMOBILES.
W. F. FIPHER & CO.—

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203-3 S. SPRING ST. 203-500 DR. BROADWAY.

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES

City	Max	Min	Mean
Los Angeles	74	54	64
New York	70	50	60
Chicago	68	48	58
San Francisco	72	52	62
Portland	70	50	60
Seattle	68	48	58
San Diego	76	56	66
Phoenix	80	60	70
Albuquerque	78	58	68
Denver	72	52	62
Butte	68	48	58
Bozeman	66	46	56
Helena	64	44	54
Billings	62	42	52
Great Falls	60	40	50
Missoula	58	38	48
Butte	56	36	46
Bozeman	54	34	44
Helena	52	32	42
Billings	50	30	40
Great Falls	48	28	38
Missoula	46	26	36
Butte	44	24	34
Bozeman	42	22	32
Helena	40	20	30
Billings	38	18	28
Great Falls	36	16	26
Missoula	34	14	24
Butte	32	12	22
Bozeman	30	10	20
Helena	28	8	18
Billings	26	6	16
Great Falls	24	4	14
Missoula	22	2	12
Butte	20	0	10
Bozeman	18	-2	8
Helena	16	-4	6
Billings	14	-6	4
Great Falls	12	-8	2
Missoula	10	-10	0
Butte	8	-12	-2
Bozeman	6	-14	-4
Helena	4	-16	-6
Billings	2	-18	-8
Great Falls	0	-20	-10
Missoula	-2	-22	-12
Butte	-4	-24	-14
Bozeman	-6	-26	-16
Helena	-8	-28	-18
Billings	-10	-30	-20
Great Falls	-12	-32	-22
Missoula	-14	-34	-24
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Bozeman	-18	-38	-28
Helena	-20	-40	-30
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Great Falls	-24	-44	-34
Missoula	-26	-46	-36
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Billings	-34	-54	-44
Great Falls	-36	-56	-46
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Billings	-46	-66	-56
Great Falls	-48	-68	-58
Missoula	-50	-70	-60
Butte	-52	-72	-62
Bozeman	-54	-74	-64
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Billings	-58	-78	-68
Great Falls	-60	-80	-70
Missoula	-62	-82	-72
Butte	-64	-84	-74
Bozeman	-66	-86	-76
Helena	-68	-88	-78
Billings	-70	-90	-80
Great Falls	-72	-92	-82
Missoula	-74	-94	-84
Butte	-76	-96	-86
Bozeman	-78	-98	-88
Helena	-80	-100	-90
Billings	-82	-102	-92
Great Falls	-84	-104	-94
Missoula	-86	-106	-96
Butte	-88	-108	-98
Bozeman	-90	-110	-100
Helena	-92	-112	-102
Billings	-94	-114	-104
Great Falls	-96	-116	-106
Missoula	-98	-118	-108
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Bozeman	-102	-122	-112
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Billings	-106	-126	-116
Great Falls	-108	-128	-118
Missoula	-110	-130	-120
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Great Falls	-132	-152	-142
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Bozeman	-138	-158	-148
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Great Falls	-144	-164	-154
Missoula	-146	-166	-156
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Bozeman	-150	-170	-160
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Billings	-154	-174	-164
Great Falls	-156	-176	-166
Missoula	-158	-178	-168
Butte	-160	-180	-170
Bozeman	-162	-182	-172
Helena	-164	-184	-174
Billings	-166	-186	-176
Great Falls	-168	-188	-178
Missoula	-170	-190	-180
Butte	-172	-192	-182
Bozeman	-174	-194	-184
Helena	-176	-196	-186
Billings	-178	-198	-188
Great Falls	-180	-200	-190
Missoula	-182	-202	-192
Butte	-184	-204	-194
Bozeman	-186	-206	-196
Helena	-188	-208	-198
Billings	-190	-210	-200
Great Falls	-192	-212	-202
Missoula	-194	-214	-204
Butte	-196	-216	-206
Bozeman	-198	-218	-208
Helena	-200	-220	-210
Billings	-202	-222	-212
Great Falls	-204	-224	-214
Missoula	-206	-226	-216
Butte	-208	-228	-218
Bozeman	-210	-230	-220
Helena	-212	-232	-222
Billings	-214	-234	-224
Great Falls	-216	-236	-226
Missoula	-218	-238	-228
Butte	-220	-240	-230
Bozeman	-222	-242	-232
Helena	-224	-244	-234
Billings	-226	-246	-236
Great Falls	-228	-248	-238
Missoula	-230	-250	-240
Butte	-232	-252	-242
Bozeman	-234	-254	-244
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Billings	-238	-258	-248
Great Falls	-240	-260	-250
Missoula	-242	-262	-252
Butte	-244	-264	-254
Bozeman	-246	-266	-256
Helena	-248	-268	-258
Billings	-250	-270	-260
Great Falls	-252	-272	-262
Missoula	-254	-274	-264
Butte	-256	-276	-266
Bozeman	-258	-278	-268
Helena	-260	-280	-270
Billings	-262	-282	-272
Great Falls	-264	-284	-274
Missoula	-266	-286	-276
Butte	-268	-288	-278
Bozeman	-270	-290	-280
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Billings	-274	-294	-284
Great Falls	-276	-296	-286
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Helena	-284	-304	-294
Billings	-286	-306	-296
Great Falls	-288	-308	-298
Missoula	-290	-310	-300
Butte	-292	-312	-302
Bozeman	-294	-314	-304
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Billings	-298	-318	-308
Great Falls	-300	-320	-310
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Billings	-310	-330	-320
Great Falls	-312	-332	-322
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Billings	-322	-342	-332
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Butte	-340	-360	-350
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Billings	-346	-366	-356
Great Falls	-348	-368	-358
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Bozeman	-354	-374	-364
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Billings	-358	-378	-368
Great Falls	-360	-380	-370
Missoula	-362	-382	-372
Butte	-364	-384	-374
Bozeman	-366	-386	-376
Helena	-368	-388	-378
Billings	-370	-390	-380
Great Falls	-372	-392	-382
Missoula	-374	-394	-384
Butte	-376	-396	-386
Bozeman	-378	-398	-388
Helena	-380	-400	-390
Billings	-382	-402	-392
Great Falls	-384	-404	-394
Missoula	-386	-406	-396
Butte	-388	-408	-398
Bozeman	-390	-410	-400
Helena	-392	-412	-402
Billings	-394	-414	-404
Great Falls	-396	-416	-406
Missoula	-398	-418	-408
Butte	-400	-420	-410
Bozeman	-402	-422	-412
Helena	-404	-424	-414
Billings	-406	-426	-416
Great Falls	-408	-428	-418
Missoula	-410	-430	-420
Butte	-412	-432	-422
Bozeman	-414	-434	-424
Helena	-416	-436	-426
Billings	-418	-438	-428
Great Falls	-420	-440	-430
Missoula	-422	-442	-432
Butte	-424	-444	-434
Bozeman	-426	-446	-436
Helena	-428	-448	-438
Billings	-430	-450	-440
Great Falls	-432	-452	-442
Missoula	-434	-454	-444
Butte	-436	-456	-446
Bozeman	-438	-458	-448
Helena	-440	-460	-450
Billings	-442	-462	-452
Great Falls	-444	-464	-454
Missoula	-446	-466	-456
Butte	-448	-468	-458
Bozeman	-450	-470	-460
Helena	-452	-472	-462
Billings	-454	-474	-464
Great Falls	-456	-476	-466
Missoula	-458	-478	-468
Butte	-460	-480	-470
Bozeman	-462	-482	-472
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Billings	-466	-486	-476
Great Falls	-468	-488	-478
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Butte	-472	-492	-482
Bozeman	-474	-494	-484
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Billings	-478	-498	-488
Great Falls	-480	-500	-490
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Billings	-490	-510	-500
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Missoula	-494	-514	-504
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Bozeman	-498	-518	-508
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Great Falls	-504	-524	-514
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Great Falls	-516	-536	-526
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Butte	-520	-540	-530
Bozeman	-522	-542	-532
Helena	-524	-544	-534
Billings	-526	-546	-536
Great Falls	-528	-548	-538
Missoula	-530	-550	-540
Butte	-532	-552	-542
Bozeman	-534	-554	-544
Helena	-536	-556	-546
Billings	-538	-558	-548
Great Falls	-540	-560	-550
Missoula	-542	-562	-552
Butte	-544	-564	-554
Bozeman	-546	-566	-556
Helena	-548	-568	-558
Billings	-550	-570	-560
Great Falls	-552	-572	-562
Missoula	-554	-574	-564
Butte	-556	-576	-566
Bozeman	-558	-578	-568
Helena	-560	-580	-570
Billings	-562	-582	-572
Great Falls	-564	-584	-574
Missoula	-566	-586	-576
Butte	-568	-588	-578
Bozeman	-570	-590	-580
Helena	-572	-592	-582
Billings	-574	-594	-584
Great Falls	-576	-596	-586
Missoula	-578	-598	-588
Butte	-580	-600	-590
Bozeman	-582	-602	-592
Helena	-584	-604	-594
Billings	-586	-606	-596
Great Falls	-588	-608	-598
Missoula	-590	-610	-600
Butte	-592	-612	-602
Bozeman	-594	-614	-604
Helena	-596	-616	-606
Billings	-598	-618	-608
Great Falls	-600	-620	-610
Missoula	-602	-622	-612
Butte	-604	-624	-614
Bozeman	-606	-626	-616
Helena	-608	-628	-618
Billings	-610	-630	-620
Great Falls	-612	-632	-622
Missoula	-614	-634	-624
Butte	-616	-636	-626
Bozeman	-618	-638	-628
Helena	-620	-640</	

THE CITY IN BRIEF

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Burned Chauffeur Recovering.
R. H. Bees, a chauffeur, who was severely burned in a gasoline explosion Wednesday night, which resulted in the destruction of the B. B. Danhart's large automobile, is improving in condition. He is at the Clara Barton Hospital, and expected to recover.

In Missing Man's Pigeon.
C. S. Walworth of this city, a traveling representative of the Grand Trunk, is in San Francisco temporarily filling the position of freight agent until a man can be secured to fill the vacancy. The former agent, W. O. Johnson, mysteriously disappeared the 10th inst.

Crushed in Hay Press.
While working a hay press near the south city limits yesterday morning Frank Smith fell into the machine and was severely crushed. Suffering from his injuries, the young man retained his nerve and advised his fellow workmen how to release him. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital with both legs broken. Internal injuries were sustained, and these may result fatally.

Too Reckless.
H. E. Fortmann of No. 629 West Eighteenth street was arrested last night, charged with drunkenness and reckless driving in crossing Grand avenue and Eighteenth street. Fortmann almost ran down two women, and driving down Grand avenue he narrowly escaped collision with a street car, according to the police. Two patrolmen started in pursuit and caught him at Pico street.

Fireworks Show.
Campbell's San Francisco, Earthquake Spectacle, which will open next week at Fiesta Park, is said to be one of the largest pyrotechnic shows now before the public. The show, which is a part of the moving panorama is 20 feet, while fifteen carloads of scenery are required. About 100 people take part in the various transformation scenes. Large quantities of new designs in fireworks entertainment are shown.

Former Resident Dies.
Capt. David J. Kennelly, some years ago well known as a capitalist in Los Angeles, died yesterday in Nova Scotia at the age of 80 years. While his wife and two sons have been living in Nova Scotia, he several years ago went to Nova Scotia, and his sons were there with him at the time of his death, which was simply the result of his advanced age. The deceased was a captain in the English army prior to coming to America.

Phoenix People Here.
T. J. Whitney, a business man of Phoenix, Ariz., is in Los Angeles with Mrs. Whitney, who has been very ill here for some time. They expect to return to their home about the first of September. Ralph and Ivy Marshall, both of Phoenix, have come to Los Angeles for a short stay, going on to Stanford, where they will take up their studies. G. R. Taylor, of the United States Reclamation Service, office at Phoenix, has come to Los Angeles, and may be permanently located here.

Day Firm Is Bankrupt.
Creditors of Decker & Lefrand, of this city, filed a petition in the United States Court, yesterday, to have the partners declared bankrupt. The petitioners are Cohn-Ascher Hat Company, Klein-Norton Company, and the Los Angeles Notion Company. Their claims aggregate about \$1000. They assert that Decker & Lefrand attempted to make A. D. Bond a preferred creditor and have concealed a portion of the stock of goods, much of which was purchased on credit from the petitioners.

Creditors Expect Dividend.
It is expected there will be new developments in the bankruptcy case of the Pacific Syndicate Stores Company, upon the return to the city of Lynn Helm, referee in bankruptcy. There have been no recent meetings of creditors. Early next month, it is expected that H. B. Rossiter, the trustee, will be able to make a definite report, giving the present state of the affairs of the bankrupt concern. According to the schedule of debts, the company owed about \$30,000. The creditors hope to secure a fairly large dividend on their claims.

Los Angeles Boys Pass.
Word has been received from Washington of honors won by two Los Angeles boys, Frank Hadley, son of W. W. Hadley, and Alfred J. Salisbury, son of A. J. Salisbury, both aspirants for the consular service in China. Thirty-seven were designated, twenty-two took the examination and eight passed. Hadley ranking second and Salisbury third. Both are graduates of the University of California. After a short visit in Washington, they will go to New York and the Jamestown Exposition, returning home the last of September.

BREVITIES.

Ladies.—You never have to pay more than \$2 for the best shoes made, and the men need never pay over \$2.50. I sell \$3.50 of sample shoes at these prices. I can fill feet of any shape on the second floor of 414 1/2 S. Broadway. Visit my store and be convinced.

Sample Shoe Man.—Sample shoes made to order, grates, tiles and andirons to his warehouses, corner Los Angeles and Twelfth streets, where can be seen the largest and best selection of brass fireplace trimmings to be found in the United States.

"After the Honey-moon's Over," the time the boys are whistling. We will mail you a copy to try. If you live outside the city of Los Angeles, send your name and address to Popular Music Company, N. 145 South Broadway, Los Angeles, Calif.

Friday and Saturday, last days of the money saving sale of boxed stationery at "Ye Print Shop," 313 South Broadway. Bargains in plenty.

Your old shoes made like new; the kind of shoe repairing at Cummings' shop, 4th and Broadway. Diamond Piano tuner, 215 Spring. Furs, L. Bonoff, furrier, 212 S. E. way.

Dexter Samson Co.

Undertakers, 1122 S. Flower. Home 7888. Sunset 7555. Lady assistant. Private ambulance.

Robert L. Garrett & Co., Undertakers. Lady assistant, 1227 S. Flower. Ambulance.

Salt Lake Transfer Co., 217-19 East First street, will check baggage at your residence at any point. Both phones 61, 751.

Orr & Edwards Co., Funeral Directors. N.E. corner Tenth and Flower streets. Main 61, Home 7661. Private ambulance. Lady assistant.

Peck & Chase Co., Undertakers, 613 S. Hill. Both phones 61. Lady assistant.

Corcoran Opening.

Townsite of Corcoran, Kings county, will be put on sale early in September. Watch papers for date. Million-dollar big sugar plant now being built there. Security Land and Loan Co., owners, 327 South Spring st.

Flicker-Flicker-Flicker.

The expert real estate broker, 218 W. Seventh, 218 Franklin. Both phones 123.

FAST TRAIN WRECKED.

One Mail Clerk and Two Passengers Injured in Accident to "Frisco Motor."
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—A.M.]
OKLAHOMA CITY (Okla.) Aug. 29.—The fast "Frisco" train, No. 409, known as the Meteor, which left St. Louis yesterday afternoon, and was due to arrive here at noon, ran into an open switch near Tulsa, I. T., early this morning, and was wrecked. One mail clerk and two passengers were seriously injured.

The engine, two baggage cars and the mail car left the track. The train is one of the finest on the "Frisco" system. It carries two Pullman sleeping cars, two chair cars, café, observation car, together with two baggage and one mail car.

Today's wreck is the third within a week in the vicinity of Tulsa.

TO MEET EMPEROR WILLIAM.
BERLIN, Aug. 29.—The American officers, Gen. W. S. Ederly, Maj. De Witt Wilcox, Capt. Robert E. L. Michie and Capt. George H. Shelton, designated to attend the autumn maneuvers of the German army as guests of Emperor William, arrived today.

The American officers probably will be presented to Emperor William on Monday at the annual review on the Tempelhof field.

VITAL RECORD.
BIRTHS.
DEATHS.
MARRIAGES.
DIVORCE.

Deaths.
KENNELLY, August 29, in Sydney, Nova Scotia, Capt. David J. Kennelly, in his ninetieth year.

BORDEN. In Chicago, Ill., August 29, 1907, Margery Frances Borden, aged 25 years, wife of Charles Borden, daughter of Mr. C. C. Burnett, and mother of Cecil A. Borden, Harry I. Borden and Juliet B. Borden. Funeral services will be held at the chapel of the Orr & Edwards Co., corner Tenth and Flower streets, Saturday, August 31, 1907, at 2 o'clock p.m.

CAMPBELL. At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. E. V. Call, No. 611 Pasadena avenue, August 29, 1907, Rosa Campbell. Funeral services will be held in the chapel of the Orr & Edwards Co., corner Tenth and Flower streets, Saturday, August 31, 1907, at 2 o'clock p.m.

SHREVE. August 29, 1907, W. D. Shreve, aged 40 years. Remains at Breese Bros' Funeral private.

MACHINER. August 29, 1907, Carl Machiner, aged 19 years. Remains at Breese Bros' Funeral private.

BAUR. In this city, August 29, 1907, Albert R. Baur, aged 28 years and 9 months. Funeral services will be held at the chapel of the Orr & Edwards Co., corner Tenth and Flower streets, Saturday, August 31, 1907, at 2 o'clock p.m.

GROSS. At 2 p.m., August 29, 1907, Mrs. F. L. Gross, formerly of Pittsburgh, Pa., aged 73 years, wife of her daughter, Mrs. W. A. McGraw, and Miss Gross. Services will be held August 30, 1907, at the home of Mrs. McGraw, at No. 547 Westwoodland avenue. The interment will be private. Funeral services at 2 p.m.

MARRIAGES.
CHAPMAN-MILES. Guy L. Chapman, aged 25, a native of Ohio, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Edna V. Miles, aged 21, a native of Michigan, and a resident of Los Angeles.

HARTLEY-MUNDT. Joseph A. Hartley, aged 24, a native of Nebraska, and Hazel C. Mundt, aged 24, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

DAVIDSON-LINDSAY. Forrest M. Davidson, aged 21, a native of California, and Roberta Lindsay, aged 21, a native of Kansas; both residents of Los Angeles.

CURRAN-MILITENBERGER. Frank J. Curran, aged 25, a native of Ireland, and Anna M. Militenberger, aged 27, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

RITCHART-HENDERSON. Orville G. Ritchart, aged 25, a native of Canada, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Clara E. Henderson, aged 25, a native of Canada, and a resident of Los Angeles.

FISHER-MOODY. Eugene I. Fisher, aged 29, a native of Pennsylvania, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Edna Mae Moody, aged 25, a native of California, and a resident of Los Angeles.

HOHAN-KROPP. Michael J. Hohan, aged 30, a native of Iowa, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Johanna Kropp, aged 25, a native of Germany, and a resident of Pasadena.

PAINTER-DEAN. Joseph M. Painter, aged 24, a native of Missouri, and Clara Dean, aged 24, a native of Germany; both residents of Los Angeles.

YOTMAN-KONIGSBERGER. William H. Yotman, aged 25, a native of Los Angeles, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Anna Konigsberger, aged 27, a native of Ohio, and a resident of Pleasant Plains, N. Y.

FRATELLO-PEORE. Angelo Fratello, aged 23, a native of Italy, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Mary Peore, aged 21, a native of Louisiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

NICHOL-GARD. Archie G. Nicklin, aged 23, a native of Pennsylvania, and Pearl V. Guard, aged 22, a native of Utah; both residents of Los Angeles.

VICK-LIEBER. John A. Vick, aged 21, a native of Michigan, and Elizabeth H. Lieber, aged 21, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

DELANEY-KING. Edward Delaney, aged 25, a native of Wisconsin, and Florence King, aged 25, a native of Idaho; both residents of Los Angeles.

RICHARDSON-CORSWELL. Frank Richardson, aged 21, a native of New Jersey, and a resident of Long Beach, and Ada M. Corswell, aged 21, a native of Minnesota, and a resident of Los Angeles.

RISDON-KING. Blanton, aged 22, a native of Iowa, and Lillian D. Risdon, aged 22, a native of New York; both residents of Los Angeles.

SHENNON-CARROLL. Chas. E. Shannon, aged 23, a native of Pennsylvania, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Minnie S. Carroll, aged 23, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

PETERS-BUSSENIUS. John H. Peters, aged 28, a native of England, and Eva Bussenius, aged 25, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

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Elastic durable hose for boys and girls; 1x1 and corduroy ribs; made for hard wear; 15c quality. Pair..... 7c

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Fine Egyptian lisle in allover open work lace; fine 1x1 French rib and heavy 2x1 rib; regular 1x1 and 25c quality; while they..... 12c

Iron Clad and Pony Stockings 25c

These are the finest lisle yarns and the most serviceable hose made; fine or heavy rib for boys and girls; all sizes, 5 to 10..... 25c

Wash Suits Must Go Now Regardless of Cost

At the close of this season's great sale of wash suits, we find we have about 40 Shirt Waists in all white, and white and black figured lawns, a 3d barred muslin.

Original Values Ranging \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.50

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These suits are in various styles, including Fancy Shirt Waists of white and black lawn, with lace yoke. All white, embroidered shirt waists suits, with plaited skirts of lawn, panel of embroidery, and smart tailor-made suits of barred muslin in white and black polka dots.

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FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 30, 1907.

Editorial Section.

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DRY GOODS
Between 3d and 4th

Exclusive Dress Goods

Thoughtful shoppers are swarming about this dress goods section these days, eager to get a first peep at the autumn styles—and they are not disappointed. Each day marks the arrival of dozens of new and seasonable things, either by the yard or in single pattern lengths. Especially interesting are the late arrivals in pattern suits; but one of a kind, and not to be found elsewhere. Exclusive in every respect; marked, too, at POPULAR PRICES.

MORAVINS—the new chiffon broadcloth, warranted shirred and shrunk; 50 popular shades to pick from; 56 inches wide; **\$3.00**

Free Lessons in Art Needlework

Join the class of art needleworkers. Free instructions each day between 9:30 and 11:30. No charge whatever. All we ask in return is that you buy materials used at this department.

Stamped Linen Centers 50c

Natural linen colored pure linen center pieces already stamped and tinted in colors for embroidering; beautiful floral and fruit designs; 24 inches square. Specially priced today, each, 50 cents.

We show a complete assortment of beautiful Cluny edges, in either cream or ecru, for finishing embroidered center pieces. 25c to 65c a yard.

Children's Coats \$2.75

Prettily tailored coats of white Bedford cord; deep cape collars, finished with fancy white braid. Sizes for children from one to three years old. A most exceptional value, you'll admit—\$2.75.

(Third Floor.)

Today's Sale of Wool Blankets

In order to close out without further ado, we will sell today an even hundred pairs of gray wool mixed blankets at little above half. The blanket is especially desirable for hotels or rooming houses, or for camp life—strong, heavy, durable.

10-4 size, \$2.00 value, for \$1.45
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HARDMANN UPRIGHT PIANO (No. 2355). Rosewood case. In thorough repair. New hammers, strings and tuning pins. Case refinished with seven coats of varnish. Original price \$400. Now \$375
STEINWAY VERTEGRAND PIANO (No. 116219). Ebony case. Used only two months. In perfect condition. Original price \$525. Sale price \$475
STEINWAY UPRIGHT PIANO (No. 21798). Medium size. Ebony case. Used 15 years. Original price \$700. Now \$475
SOMMER UPRIGHT PIANO (No. 18652). Walnut case. Used seven years. Original price \$450. Offered in this sale at \$350

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FAIRY GARDEN FOR DINERS.

Superb Is the Banquet to Ambassador Creel.

Doheny Dinner for Visitor a Charming Affair.

Sister Republic Honored by Prominent Men.

It is only once in a decade or so that Los Angeles has an opportunity to entertain an Ambassador from a sister republic, and when such occasions come, it is not to be wondered at that

represents, Mr. Doheny arranged the dinner, to which he invited about forty of the prominent men of Los Angeles. With few exceptions, the bidden guests were present. Among their number were many who have done much in placing Los Angeles in the prominent place it occupies, and it was clear that all of them echoed the sentiment of this community toward the great country to the south.

COMPLIMENT TO MEXICO.

The dinner was given by Mr. Doheny as a compliment to the representative of Mexico who is touring for a short time in this city, but underneath the surface was exhibited the friendly feeling of the people of this section toward the great country that has grown up under the wise administration of Mexico's "grand old man," Porfirio Diaz, President of the republic.

As a triumph of art and beauty, the banquet probably has had few equals on the American continent, while, coming down to material things, it probably has had few equals anywhere. Although the banquet has been heralded as a riot of extravagance, there was no indication on the surface that an attempt had been made to see what could be done with an unlimited supply of gold. Everything was in exquisite taste, and it was only when the partic-



Ambassador Enrique C. Creel, the guest of honor (at top), and E. L. Doheny, the host, at last night's elegantly-appointed banquet.

a city such as this should extend to a man like Ambassador Creel of Mexico the welcome that was accorded him last night at the Alexandria by representative citizens.

In all the world it probably is safe to say that there have been few occasions when such signal honors have been paid by the people of one comparatively small community to the representative of a foreign government. The banquet tendered by E. L. Doheny to Ambassador Creel is without parallel in local history. In elaborate appointments it hardly could be excelled. It is of such things that dreams are made.

As a compliment and as a welcome to the visiting Ambassador, and as a tribute to the great republic which he represents, the banquet was given.

DAILY STRAW VOTE.

A straw vote of the merchants of San Pedro on the successor to President Roosevelt gave the following result:

REPUBLICANS.

Taft	23
Hughes	6
Cortelyou	2
La Follette	2

DEMOCRATS.

Bryan	6
Johnson	1

ipants permitted themselves to indulge in an estimate of what things must have cost that the commercial side came into view.

Bolled down to the matter of dollars and cents, it is estimated that the banquet must have cost at least \$150 a plate, or something like \$2000 for the three hours of entertainment afforded the guests.

But this is ahead of the story.

Mr. Doheny received his guests in the parlors on the mezzanine floor of the Alexandria and at 8 o'clock, when all had arrived, they were escorted to the banquet room on the same floor.

For the visitors, it was like stepping into fairyland as the doors of the big hall opened before them. Instead of a room, they found themselves in a beautiful garden, with beautiful vines and flowers all about them, with colored lights glowing in subdued tones, with water playing and with gold fish scintillating in their clear depths.

For the big room had been transformed under the magic touch of Assistant Manager Joseph Reichel of the hotel, aided and abetted by Manager Whitmore. For days these masters of something little less than sorcery had been engaged in preparing for the occasion, and the fruits of their labors were apparent on all sides.

Latticed walls had obscured the outlines of the big room, and on the green lattices hung clusters of flowering clematis, known as the "breath of heaven," its white flowers standing out prominently on the green background.

From the ceiling were festooned great clusters of asparagus plumosus.

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INVADES LAIR OF THE TIGER.

Fully Equipped Gambling Den Raided at Venice.

"Blind Pig," Faro, Roulette and Poker in Full Blast.

"Sure-thing" Lay-outs Seized. Full List of Members.

A most curious book was discovered last night in the raid of a fashionable gambling hell, run at Venice by Arizona sure-thing men; it is a register containing the complete list of all the unwary suckers who were suckers. The list of names accompanies the following account of the raid.

At 10 o'clock last night the "Venice Club," on Windward avenue, had two or three suckers in tow. The crooked roulette wheel and the "spiked" faro lay-out were reaping a rich crop. Up the front stairs crept six or eight sleuths of the law. A low whistle from five more stationed under the windows.

Exactly at 10 o'clock, one of the suckers within could be heard taking his regretful farewell; the door opened a crack.

Deputy District Attorney John North suddenly threw it wide open, and exclaimed: "Every person in this room is under arrest."

It was one of the slickest raids ever pulled off by the District Attorney's office.

The "Venice Club" is an aggregation of tough gamblers from Arizona, who established themselves in the entire top floor of the Venice lodging-house on Windward avenue, Venice.

They had a paraphernalia that would make a porch climber weep with remorse, and their specialty was "trimming" verdant young society men who wanted to be smart and desperate "if it cost all pa's money"; also, they had a hearty welcome for mining men arriving at the seaside with a "wad" in search of recreation; they had a flag search of recreation; they had a flag search of recreation.

The whole outfit is "pinched," the District Attorney has taken possession of the crooked outfit, and the Arizona "gents" will drop a little of their boodle in the criminal courts.

Had the raid been postponed one day longer it would have been too late, as the outfit was to have pulled up stakes and gone to Goldfield today.

The District Attorney has been after the game for a long time. But it was very wary.

STEERED BY A STEERER.

Yesterday afternoon, however, a smooth-faced gentleman, with an emotional vest and a "burn rock," found two innocent-looking youths playing a cigar slot machine in front of a cigar stand and invited them into a real game.

They wended their way upstairs in the Venice lodging-house. Just as they started to ascend to the third floor, one of them stepped on the second step of the stairs, and a loud "buzz-z-z-z" resounded through the upper halls. It was the warning.

In the front rooms they could hear chips on a poker table. But their fat

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NIGHT BIRDS BE WARNED.

Judge Grants Divorce Because Husband Leaves Wife All Night.

In granting Mrs. Anna G. Hupp an interlocutory decree of divorce, on the ground of cruelty, Judge Hutton in the Superior Court Wednesday, established the precedent that for a husband to be away from home at night, without his wife's consent, is an act of inhumanity to his better half.

Mrs. Hupp, through Attorney George P. Adams, sued George S. Hupp, the well-known attorney, clubman and athlete, for divorce, on the ground of cruelty, based upon the fact that he would remain away from home for from one night to a week at a time. On the witness stand, Mrs. Hupp told Judge Hutton that when she inquired of her husband where he had been, he often replied: "It makes no difference where I have been, and if you do not like it, you know what you can do."

This stand by Mr. Hupp caused her, stated the wife, great anguish of mind, especially when her husband added that he did not love her, and that his home ties were irksome and he preferred club life and personal freedom.

Hupp filed an answer to the suit, which was commenced on August 5, denying all the allegations in the complaint, but at the trial of the case Wednesday he did not put in an appearance or defend the suit.

Mrs. Hupp, who is a dainty little woman and a pronounced blonde, did not ask for alimony or a share of her husband's property.

ENDOWMENT FOR HOME.

Masons Meet at East San Gabriel, Institution and Plan Permanent Support of Its Work.

One of the most important and enthusiastic Masonic meetings ever held in Southern California took place on Wednesday at the Masonic Home in East San Gabriel. It was a gathering of the masters or representatives of such of the Blue Lodges of the southern part of the State, there being seventy-five lodges belonging to this jurisdiction.

Besides masters, there were present many other officers, past officers and influential Masons, and a number of representatives of the ladies of the Eastern Star. The subject under discussion was the best method or system for supporting the Masonic Home, and this subject was closely considered by the 150 persons present.

A fine luncheon was served the visitors in the large dining-room, and after partaking of this the president called the gathering to order and gave a brief account of the existing state of the Masonic Home organization, the raising of funds for the establishment, etc., and showed how the property to-

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Cantor J. Weinstock.

day is worth far more than was paid for it by the association, while there is a small sum of money in the bank. Several plans for financing the institution were presented; and the one finally decided upon was the creation of a \$100,000 endowment fund to be raised by the lodges of the southern jurisdiction, with each lodge pledging its pro rata according to membership. This plan met with enthusiastic support from all present.

MECHANICAL OPERATORS.

Inventions for Handling Messages on Trial During Telegraphers' Strike and Giving Good Results.

As an outcome of the telegraphers' strike, various mechanical inventions for transmitting and receiving telegraph messages are being given try-outs in the eastern cities.

Reports reached Los Angeles yesterday that successful use is made of the Rowland invention by several of the offices of the Postal company, while the offices of the Western Union have been using the Harkley invention with good results.

The principle of both inventions is about the same. The operator transmits the message simply by the manipulation of a typewriter keyboard, to which are attached the electrical contrivances. The message is received at the other end of the line by a machine which produces typewritten copy.

LIBERTY DENIED THEM.

Judge Wilbur Yesterday Dismissed the application for a writ of habeas corpus in the case of the three Mexican plotters, Antonio Villareal, Ricardo Flores Magon and Librado Rivera, and remanded the prisoners to the custody of the police, pending the examination in Justice Frederickson's court September 4.

The decision was reached by the judge without hearing the argument and citation of authorities prepared by H. H. Appel and Deputy District Attorney Frank Blair.

In rendering his decision, Judge Wilbur stated that the contention of counsel that the charge of resisting an officer was not a good one, and that the prisoners had a legal right to resist under the circumstances, appeared to be correct, but he doubted whether it could properly be raised on habeas corpus.

A throng of admirers was not so dense in and about the courtroom as on previous hearings, nor did those who gathered appear so much excited as they did before. The sensation appears to be growing stale for them.

A dispatch to The Times from Jefferson City, Mo., says that Gov. Folk has issued a requisition on the Governor of California for the return to St. Louis of Antonio Villareal and Ricardo Flores Magon, who are under indictment in St. Louis for criminal libel, and are now under arrest at Los Angeles. The men jumped their bonds in St. Louis, where there are one indictment against Villareal and three against Magon, all charging criminal libel. Col. W. C. Greene, the Sonora copper king, is one of the persons instituting the prosecutions.

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Three Councilmen have protested against the recommendation of the Finance Committee for the issue of \$300,000 in fire bonds and the bond election may never be called.

The Board of Public Works will recommend to the Council today the issue of \$1,000,000 in 4-per-cent. aqueduct bonds.

Councilman Lyon's constituents expect to present to him a jeweled horseshoe, with the admonition that he put it in his glove the next time he scrapes with the Non-Partisans.

"Bryan and Harper" is the latest Democratic ticket proposed by the Mayor's press agents at the City Hall. Through habeas corpus proceedings in the Superior Court yesterday, Mrs. Rose Mulender secured the custody of baby Francis Mulender, whom she claims is her child in spite of testimony taken at a previous hearing. Francis himself showed marked disapproval of the order of the court.

A contested divorce case, Mrs. Janie Sykes against Berry Sykes, yesterday brought out a graphic tale by the defendant, of struggles in the grasp of money sharks.

Judge Hutton yesterday denied a petition for a writ of replevin by which it was shown, the officials of the Southern California Title and Abstract Company, C. D. Warden and C. P. Warden, sought to complete a deal by which they would get a barber shop for \$2.

Former Police Commissioner Samuel Schenck is on trial in Justice Rose's court, charged with having falsified impounded Attorney Bradner W. Lee and Kenneth Preuss.

AT THE CITY HALL.

FIRE BONDS IN THE BALANCE.

THREE COUNCILMEN PROTEST AGAINST ISSUE.

Insist That Money for Improvements Must Come From Current Revenue Funds—Committee Say This Will Mean Scraping in Many Departments.

Councilman Wren is receiving the support of Lyon and Yonkin in his opposition to the issue of \$300,000 in fire bonds; the Finance Committee has decided not to pass the question to a vote for another week, and there is a vague uncertainty whether a fire-bond election will be called this year.

Chief Lips and the underwriters are well satisfied with a change in program that the firehouse available at once from the current revenue fund, but there are others who think that the firehouse should be raised by a bond election, because there are other places where all the tax money can be used this year to good purpose.

The Council is pledged to spend \$175,000 in permanent improvements for the department this year. In the money is set aside for this purpose in the budget, then there will be no question the city is certain to get the houses built and at the lowest cash price. If the department must wait for a bond election, and for the sale of the bonds, never more money will be lost, and the prospects are that little will be in the way of permanent improvements this year.

Councilman Wren, secretary of the Finance Committee, says that it will be impossible for the city to pull through this year on a business plan unless the fire bonds are voted. Estimates of current expense, as presented by the heads of departments, are \$1,000,000 greater than the estimated revenue of the city from taxes and licenses. The Finance Committee has lopped off about \$500,000 of this during the last three weeks. It must go over the list once more and make other reductions to the amount of \$300,000 if the city is to finish the year without a deficit.

If the expense of the firehouses must come from the current tax fund, another \$200,000 must be paid from the department allowances in the new budget. A cry of alarm has gone up from the City Hall to the effect that the committee is already scraping the bone in some departments, and that further reductions will practically disrupt the municipal services.

"The Finance Committee did not decide to recommend fire bonds until we had canvassed every other available way of raising money," said Councilman Dromgold last night. "The \$225,000 extra expense of the outfall sewer has placed us in a position where we must raise money by a bond issue or permit the public service to be crippled badly."

"There is a general cry for additional lots for playgrounds; we are told that the city must appropriate \$25,000 this year for the improvement of Agricultural Park, as an evidence that we want the park and will improve and care for it as a playground ground, otherwise it will remain with the Sixth District Agricultural Association; there is a general public demand for more schools; we must have teachers; we must have bridges built at once or Boyle Heights and East Los Angeles will be cut off from the remaining portions of the city."

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A grocer has to sell good and bad coffee; but cooks needn't cook it.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Bishop's Best; we say him.

rupty, filed in the United States District court, yesterday, the company owns several thousand dollars and has few tangible assets. The creditors who seek to have the mining company declared bankrupt are the L. W. Blinn Lumber Company, with a claim of \$2675; H. Jevne Company, \$987.74; Union Hardware and Metal Company, \$661.50.

The petitioners allege that the company has conveyed its property to Charles A. Taylor and that an attempt is being made to give certain of the creditors preference over the others. The case will be heard some time next month.

DANGER OF "BUSTING OPEN."

Singing Negro, Three Times Arrested, Goes Home in Silence—Bravely Stops Runaway Horse.

Because he just can't help singing camp-meeting songs on the downtown streets, William Bradley, a type of the real "down-South darkey," was arrested three times yesterday afternoon. The first time he was charged with disturbing the peace of passengers on a Temple-street car. Seizing ball on that charge and being told he might sing on the streets if he wanted to, he promptly started down First street, shouting in a voice that could be heard for blocks. At Spring he was taken a second time to jail. By a crowd of scores, the singing negro was taken back to the Police Station. He was released, only to be arrested a few minutes later for singing on South Broadway.

Bradley has been singing for years. Like cut. Patent fabric top; will not sag. May be used as couch by day and full-sized bed at night. Today, 8 to 9 \$3.55

9 to 10 FINE SOLID OAK DRESSER—Similar to cut. Has 42-inch base, with divided top drawers; has 20x24 pattern French plate mirror. Worth \$13.50. Today, 9 to 10 \$8.95

10 to 11 GOOD IRON BED—Scroll design, 4-6 and 3-6 sizes. Best white enamel. Today, 10 to 11 \$1.45

11 to 12 GOOD SOLID OAK CHAIRS—Has high back; well braced; cane seat. Today, 11 to 12; only 6 to one customer 65c

COLORED MEN'S LEAGUE.

Negroes of Southern California Effect State Organization for General Uplift of Race.

A number of representative colored men, from various parts of Southern California, met in this city yesterday for the purpose of organizing the State Negro Business Men's League.

The organization was formed by choosing Eugene Walker as chairman and F. H. Crumby secretary. The call for the meeting set forth that the purpose was the creation of a business men's league, for the encouragement of colored men along commercial, agricultural and industrial lines.

It begins its career with substantial local organizations of industrial colored men in Los Angeles, Sacramento, San Francisco and Oakland. Besides these cities, Redlands and San Diego were represented at the meeting, and letters were read from Bakersfield and Monrovia.

In the local organizations mentioned there are about 300 men, and the main object is stated to be the stimulation of business enterprise among colored men and to encourage a greater interest in public affairs.

The following officers of the State League were elected: R. C. Owens, Los Angeles, president; Eugene Walker, Los Angeles, J. C. Moore, Pasadena; Jacob Soares, Sacramento; R. H. Harbert, Redlands; Frank Anderson, San Diego; Joseph S. Francis, San Francisco, vice-presidents; treasurer, C. C. Flint, Los Angeles; secretary, F. H. Crumby, Los Angeles; State organizer, vice-president, Los Angeles; commissioner of photographic exhibits, Col. Allen Allensworth, Los Angeles.

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ABSOLUTE SACRIFICE OF ENTIRE STOCK!

We generally hold this stock until cold weather, but we want to get it off our hands now. A good cook stove, built to last, has 4 covers and 12-inch oven. Has oven and end shelf. Closing out at \$12.50. Has 7-inch end shelf. Has nickel trimmed. Has 18x18 oven. Duplex grate; nickel trimmed. Worth \$45.00. Closing out at \$12.50.

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Order your Wines and Liquors by Mail

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are showing their full line of Silk and Satin underwear, the Priests' Cravats, the women and children. 218

Henckels Famous Cutlery

In one of our windows we are showing an extraordinary variety of Henckels famous cutlery. This Cutlery is without doubt the very finest made. When you buy pocket knives, shears, etc., be sure they bear the Henckels trade-mark—"The Twins." Note the several specials in this advertisement.

This \$1.00 Pocket Knife 75c

This \$1.25 Pocket Knife

Scissors

For This 75c Pocket Knife 50c

Beautiful Pocket Knife

Here is a knife that you'll be proud to own. It has two cutting blades, nail file with grooves on one side and file on the other, and cuticle point. This knife also has a pair of small scissors—very handy for many purposes. It is a new shape—one of the latest received from the Henckels factory. Very handsome pearl handle. Price \$5.50.

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1 to 2 GOOD EXTENSION TABLE—Inch square top; has five leaves to 6 feet; golden oak finish. Today, 1 to 2 \$1.00

2 to 3 HANDSOME BRUSSELS RUG—9x12; good pattern. To \$1.00

3 to 4 CROSS-LEG CANVAS—Heavy canvas. Today, 3 to 4 \$1.00

4 to 5 DROPPED COMBINATION CHAIR—Has 42-inch base; open 42x42; has two drawers; and molding. Everywhere at \$5.50. Today, 4 to 5 \$1.00

A Gigantic Sale of Mattresses

One of the really sensational features of our big selling out sale is our unreserved slaughter of mattress prices. All our finest mattresses are included, and you know we carry only the very best makes. The truth is, the room is worth more to us than anything else just now, and we are making all sorts of sacrifices to obtain it. Just look over these prices. Do you wonder that many people are actually buying when they have no immediate need of the mattresses; but are providing for future wants? The prices are too tempting to resist.

TOP MATTRESS—B grade ticking. All sizes. \$2.00

NO. 2 EXCELSIOR COTTON MATTRESS—All sizes. \$1.50

TOP MATTRESS—C grade ticking. All sizes. \$2.50

NO. 3 EXCELSIOR COTTON MATTRESS—All sizes. \$2.00

OUR BEST REVERSIBLE MATTRESS—All sizes. \$3.00

GENUINE SANITARY MATTRESS—All sizes. \$2.50

BEST XXXX POPULAR MATTRESS—All sizes. \$2.00

Weight 25 lbs. \$1.75

Weight 30 lbs. \$1.90

Weight 35 lbs. \$2.05

GENUINE SANITARY MATTRESS—All sizes. \$2.50

ES—Made of sea moss and pure white cotton. All sizes. \$1.00

VERY BEST SILK FLOSS MATTRESS—All sizes. \$3.00

Weight 25 lbs. \$2.75

Weight 30 lbs. \$2.90

Weight 35 lbs. \$3.05

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Rebman & Company
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 235-237-239 SOUTH BROADWAY

Store Closed Saturdays at 12:30 noon Until Sept. 15.

Boys' Wash Suits

Many Under Half

Plenty of wearing time ahead, yet prices on all boys' wash suits are cut to a point that would move them in mid-winter.

Buster Brown and sailor blouse suits of every washable material suitable for boys' wear slated for clearance on Saturday morning at this rate:

- All \$2.50 to \$4 Suits \$1.75.
- All \$4.50 to \$6.50 Suits at \$2.95.
- Ages 2 1-2 to 10 years.

\$1 to \$1.75 Hats 25c

Lot of boys' Tam o' Shaners and sailor hats of washable materials, early-season prices \$1 to \$1.75, free to go on Saturday morning at twenty-five cents. (Rear of Annex.)

Sales For Today

Details of which appeared in yesterday's papers.

- \$1.75 and \$2.50 Silk Gloves at \$1.25.
- \$1 Silk Gloves at 50c.
- \$1.75 Lisle Gloves at 75c
- \$7.50 to \$10 Silk Petticoats at \$5.
- \$10 to \$15 Trimmed Hats at \$3.
- All Parasols at Half.
- Women's and Children's Knit Underwear at Half.

Girls' \$2.75 to \$7.50 Dresses

On Sale Saturday
 Morning at **\$1.75**

Peter Thompson and Russian Blouse Suits of linen, madras, chambrays, gingham, piques, colored linens and Penangs, carefully made and beautifully trimmed—ideal garments for the beach and for school wear.

\$1.75 is such an ABSURDLY low price that you are almost certain to consider them unworthy your attention.

You'll be most agreeably surprised when you see them. Rear of Annex

Most important store news in this store's history will appear in Sunday's papers.

All Parasols

At Half

When we say "all parasols at half" we mean every parasol in the store at exactly half what the very same sorts have actually sold for.

None reserved.

None marked up for the occasion.

No season-old goods in the stock, either.

65c to \$17.50 for parasols heretofore sold at \$1.25 to \$35.

sen, I have received the inclosed letter, which explains itself.

PORTAL, TELEGRAPH-CABLE COMPANY
 Office of the Superintendent.

Three Bureaus, Pacific Division.

C. L. Lewis, Superintendent.

LOS ANGELES (Cable) Aug. 2, 1907.
 Gen. St. Louis, president and general manager, Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles, Cal.
 Dear Sir:—Referring to your inquiry of this date, four of our old men have returned to work in our San Francisco office. I also understand that ten men returned to a body in Pittsburgh, and twenty-five in Chicago, more than a week ago, and that since then a number of the men have returned to St. Louis, Louisville, Chicago and New York.

At present we are handling about the normal quantity of business, with no more than the average delay. Beyond question, the telegraphers have lost their strike, which was badly ill-considered and without sufficient cause, and was therefore doomed to failure from the start.

Yours truly,
 C. L. LEWIS, Supt.

Opening of the Townsite of Corcoran, September 9th, 1907.

One of the most best sugar factories in the State, now being built there by the Pacific Sugar Corporation.

Big profits made in other beet-sugar towns. Investigate now.

Express special train leaves Los Angeles September 8, about 1 p.m. Reduced fare. Security Land and Cattle Company, owners of townsite and lands adjoining. 537 S. Spring.

No Headache in the Morning.
 If you take a Liver Bean at night.

The Secret of Beautiful Hair

is not always to be found in a perfectly healthy scalp and a profuse growth of natural hair. If your hair is thin, we can help you. Our James and Coronet Puffs are popular—and we carry a large stock of human hair pieces in all shades. Specially equipped for hairdressing, shampooing, marcel waving, manicuring, etc.

Weaver-Jackson Hair Co.
 443 So. Broadway

Owens River Views.

Pictures showing the power of Lake Angier, future water supply will be given FREE as art supplements with the SUNDAY TIMES. BIGGEST PAPER IN THE WORLD.



\$4.00

For Men's Shoes
Worth \$6 to \$9

It is simply a clean-up of short lots and discontinued lines. There is nothing the matter with the shoes—except that they are to be replaced by slightly newer fall styles.

When you can get Thos. Cort and Johnson & Murphy \$6 to \$9 shoes at \$4, it is time to buy them. That time is now—today

Shop closes at 12:30 noon on Saturdays until September 15th.

Wetherby-Kayser Shoe Company
215-217 South Broadway



Extra Strong Values
... In ...

DINNER SETS
Vollmer-Jantzen Co.
Seventh and Hill Sts.



Campers Find Makakake

Make Delicious Pancakes with No Trouble

ANNOUNCEMENT!

Special for Women.

We make to order 28 inch long overalls, cloth coats, worth \$60, special \$25.

THE SON TON LADIES' TAILORS
401 Nichols Bldg. 517 South Broadway

H. JEVNE CO.

BEST OF ALL Try Mixing a Bottle of

Guinness's Extra Stout, or Carnegie Porter with a bottle of beer, half and half. You will find the combination more pleasing than either beverage alone.

As a tissue builder, there isn't anything better for weak or nervous people.

SMOKE JEVNE'S FINE CIGARS

Sixth & Broadway and 208-210 S. Spring St.

UNIQUE
Cloak and Suit House
245 South Broadway

Patronize Home Industry—Trunks and Traveling Bags. Guaranteed to give good satisfaction if made at

G. U. WHITNEY'S TRUNK FACTORY,
229 South Main St.



Valencia Oranges

you never saw finer! Flesh of the finest grain, honey-like juice bursting from every pore. Don't find such elsewhere. All sizes.

Ludwig-Matthews Co.
Tel. Main 555.
Home A5233.
135-155 S. Main St.

For Summer Comfort Cook With Gas
L. A Gas and Electric Co.

68 South 2nd St. Both phones EX. 1.
Branch Office 507 Pasadena Ave.
308 Hoover Street. 344 Central Ave.

Office Appliances

GRIMES-STASSFORTH STATIONERY CO.
225-244 S. Spring, Los Angeles

Los Angeles County—its Cities and Towns.

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

WILL QUIT THE DESK.

FLOWERS CALL,
AND HE YIELDS.SECRETARY OF PASADENA TRADE
BOARD TO RESIGN.Will Give His Attention to the
Culture of Plants and Things That
Bloom—No Percent as His Suc-
cessor—Dear Taken Near Orchard
Camp.

Office of The Times, No. 21 S. Raymond avenue.

PASADENA, Aug. 29.—The call of the
Pasadena Board of Trade of its secre-
tary, D. W. Coolidge, who had been
working about town for several days
last Tuesday evening has been con-
firmed by that gentleman himself."Yes," he said, "I am going into
the plant and flower business and will
tender my resignation to the board at
the meeting of the directors on next
Tuesday evening. I will ask that the
resignation take effect on the first of
December and after that time I will
give my attention exclusively to the
culture of plants and flowers."For some time Secretary Coolidge
has been gaining local and State fame
as a horticulturist and floriculturist.
He has a reputation also as a grape
authority and can tell just what brand
of juice will be squeezed under proper
pressure from the various varieties.
He will take up the Gardener's maga-
zine as a sort of a side issue and con-
duct the local publication. He is the
president of the corporation which will
father the periodical. It will be de-
voted to landscape gardening and
floriculture.In his term of office as secretary of
the Board of Trade Mr. Coolidge has
been a real asset to himself as a
booster of and for Pasadena. He al-
ways had something on the string to
advise the advantages of the crown
city and it is a lamented fact that he
cannot be persuaded to longer remain
in the office. The call of the wild,
of the fruit and the vine, is too strong.
The resignation of Mr. Coolidge as
secretary of the Board of Trade will
probably be the signal for his resig-
nation also from the office of secre-
tary of the Pasadena Merchants' As-
sociation. The two offices go together
more or less and the past two years
has seen them under the care of Mr.
Coolidge, and prosperous.Who will be appointed as successor
to Mr. Coolidge is unknown, and no
forecast of the identity of the next
board secretary has been made by
those on the inside of board politics.Mr. Coolidge, it is understood, will
act in an advisory capacity at the
board until the expiration of his regu-
lar term in May. He will probably
hold his office as secretary of the Mer-
chants' Association until it expires of
itself in November, but will not sub-
mit to have his name placed in nomi-
nation for reelection.

BAGS TWO-SPIKED BUCK.

A. B. Calkins of Inglewood made the
big catch of the season on Mount Wil-
son yesterday, when he bagged a two-
spiked buck within a half mile of Or-
chard Camp. The night previous a
wild cat had made the canyon and
turned in his night shirt and hunt for
six-shooters and guns, while he fur-
nished the waits music for the hunt.
The secure got on Mr. Calkins' nerves
and he resolved to take a rifle out
next day and bag Mr. Feline. He was
proceeding leisurely along the
face of the mountain, when he found
two deer. He took a shot at one and
missed. Another shot was pumped
into the gun and another bullet whistled
down the canon. By that time Mr.
Calkins had gotten over his
buck fever, and the third shot was
fired with success. It broke the deer's
back.

EAST SIDE SEWER.

That sanitary sewer for the East
Side has again been beaten back by
adverse winds and another delay in
the proceedings has resulted from the
loss of the report of former City En-
gineer Mayer and Mr. Hering. City
Engineer Van Orsdel came to the rescue
of the Council in its distress, and is
now compiling another set of fig-
ures on the sewer project, which will
aid the Council in forcing the city to
the possibility of constructing
the sewer. The debates in the sessions of
the City Council will follow the render-
ing of the next set of estimates in
the near future.

WHICH WAS THE GOOSE?

A goose is a goose and a woman is
a woman when she asks a goosey ques-
tion, but it is for the police department
of Pasadena to determine which is the
greater goose, the one who picks it or
the one which was picked. A woman
whose name the police fail to divulge
called upon Detective Copping this
morning and asked him to please ask
her husband to pick a goose for her
dinner. The little goose questioning re-
vealed the fact that the woman labored
under the impression that the Humane
Society had forbidden the picking of
geese, whether dead or not, on the
grounds that it was cruel to rob them
of their pin feathers.

TO PEDDLE AQUA PURA.

Los Angeles has asked Pasadena to
answer some questions relative to the
use of Owens River water. The ques-
tions are: Total area of irrigation in
this vicinity and this city, the amount
of urban population, the amount of
acreage and the size of the sub-
urban population. The divisions of
the crops, cereal, vegetable, small fruit
and citrus fruit trees, bearing and com-
ing into bearing, the annual gross
value per acre of the irrigation of
citrus fruit bearing land, the value of
the dry land before irrigation and the
value of present dry land that has at
present no prospect of irrigation, and
how much land one minor inch will
irrigate and the cost per acre in this
vicinity, the size of the ranches around
here, the assessed value of the turn-
ing district that is now under irri-
gation and the total bank deposits of
this city. The questions are asked by
J. F. Lippincott and Secretary Coolidge
of the Board of Trade will send re-
plies.

PASADENA NOTES.

Chairman C. D. Duggett stated to-
day that Engineer Loder of the High-
way Commission was busy whipping
into shape the data gathered on the
various recent trips of the commis-
sioners over the mountain roadways. He
will make a report in the near fu-
ture to the commission covering the
points already investigated. The com-
missioners will meet with the Ventura
county Supervisors September 7 to
talk over road matters.Pasadena delegates to the Irrigation
Congress at Sacramento will leave for
the capital tomorrow night. The dele-
gates include A. H. Chamberlain, T. D.
Allen, Henry Newby, W. B. Clapp and
J. Corwin Keyes. The former has al-
ready left for the north and will take
several cities in the interests of
Thorpe Field, a 15-year-old lad, wasMr. and Mrs. Eugene Irwin Fisher,
who were married in Long Beach last evening.found stored away in a piano box last
evening and taken in by the police.
He is the son of John Fields of No.
1409 South Hope street, Los Angeles,
and was sent home to his parents from
whom he had run away.The Santa Fé today remitted to the
city a check for \$1800 taxes on the
company's right of way through the
city. The tax was paid under protest.Photo supplies at Morris-Thurston
Co.
See Phelps for fine wall paper.
Wadsworth sells paints.

BOY STOPS RUNAWAY.

Single-line Thrill Behind Fractious
Horse on Street in Frattious
Pasadena.SOUTH PASADENA, Aug. 29.—A
runaway in which a young boy fac-
ed a hero started people along
Mission street in the business section
and gave the town considerable ex-
citement for a while this morning.
Young George Link, brother of Henry
Link, was driving a fractious horse,
which took fright in front of the post-
office and ran for several blocks. The
boy had hold of only one rein, but he
hung pluckily to it and succeeded in
stopping the frightened animal after
some swift see-sawing and six-angling
across the Pasadena street.

WATCH FOR TRASH DUMPERS.

City Marshal W. H. Johnson is
watching for the persons who are
dumping refuse in the arroyo in vi-
olation of an ordinance. This nuisance
is one that the residents along the
arroyo have been suffering from a long
time. The situation became so in-
grated over a year ago that the law
was made necessary for the punish-
ment of persons who persisted in mak-
ing a hideous dumping ground of the
picturesque dry river banks. Most of
the offenders who are from Los An-
geles, being the refuse from restau-
rants and commercial houses in the
city. They drive out at night, when
they cannot easily be detected, and
dump their refuse in the arroyo.

SOUTH PASADENA BRIEFS.

M. J. Upham has returned from a
trip to Nevada. The homeward jour-
ney was by way of Northern Califor-
nia and included a sight-seeing trip
through the Yosemite.H. J. Vatcher, Jr., secretary of the
Cawston ostrich farm, and his son,
H. J. Vatcher, Jr., secretary of the
same, both returned this week from a
southern trip. Mr. Vatcher, the older
was as far as Montana, while his son
was in and about San Francisco.Considerable feeling has been aroused
in the neighborhood of the opening of
West-main street. The objectors long
under the attempt to get a street
car line through the area of a real estate
company to exploit the taxpayers for
their own benefit. The company hav-
ing failed to sell will be the benefi-
ciary of the improvement when it
is made, they say.The beautiful home being built for
W. W. Huntington at Onocota Park is
nearing completion and will be ready
for occupancy about October 1.In the meantime Mr. Huntington is living
in J. J. Young's cottage on Bank street.
Rev. C. W. Her of the Memorial
Baptist Church, who, with his fam-
ily, has been enjoying an outing at
Huntington Beach, has returned and
will be in his pulpit next Sunday.Merton E. Keith, of the firm of
Longley & Keith, has gone to Cata-
lina for his vacation.

Venice villas are convenient.

Most amusements at Coronado.

CLAREMONT.

CLAREMONT, Aug. 29.—The books
of County Auditor Dow show that the
assessed valuation of Claremont for
1907 is \$703,763, being an increase over
last year's assessed valuation of \$197,
247. The increase this year is due in
part to a readjustment of the land
values, and also due to the substantial
growth of the place. At present there
are under construction buildings to
the aggregate cost of which will exceed
\$250,000, and within the next thirty
days a number of new residences will
be commenced. In the past six years
the town has trebled in its assessed
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Fun for everybody at Coronado.

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One of the finest best sugar factories in the
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Big profits made in other best-sugar towns
have attracted many investors.
Special excursion train leaves Los Angeles
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"DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS LOADED."

NEAR DEATH BY
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tourist crop will be harvested.The following Angelenos arrived yester-
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R. Atkinson and M. F. Curtin. At
the canvas city: W. R. Townsend, C.
W. Heinze, R. Sutcliffe. At the
Metropole: C. E. Patterson, J. H. Fu-
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drich, Mrs. W. H. Laws, Mrs. Charles
Gehrmann, J. R. Howard, Bertha H.
Seth, Mrs. M. and Charles Sutter and
C. O. Hawley.A party of Philadelphians arrived at
the Metropole last evening, includingand this the company is anxious to get
hold of. The architect was dilatory in
his acceptance, but came to time when
this forced. The chairman last night
arrangements to move Sunday, and
this entanglement threatened for a
while to delay him. The first delivery
of mail from the new building will be
made Monday morning.Frank Strong, a local realty operator,
and Thomas Sandusky of Los Angeles
had a narrow miss from death last
night on American avenue. Approach-
ing the tracks at right angles in a
taxi, Mr. Strong saw a Pacific
Electric train bearing down on him,
and found to his dismay that his brakes
would not work. The motorman saw
the taxi in time to avoid a collision,
stopping within a few feet of the
machine.Miss Eleanor Todd, injured by jump-
ing from a Pacific Electric car Monday
night, is improving rapidly, and will
be moved to her home in Pomona in a
few days.City Attorney Skinner says the Pacific
Electric must pay 2 per cent. of the
gross receipts on the First-street
franchise, and is preparing papers for
the commencement of suit to recover
\$28. The first act will be an applica-
tion to the court for a writ of mandamus
of the First-street line franchise, af-
ter which the suit to recover will be
filed. The Pacific Electric has given
notice of an intention to contest the
matter.The Bolca Chica Gun Club has of-
fered a reward for the capture of the
owner of the person they believed scuttled
their dredger in Fremont Creek last
week. The machine has been floated
and repaired at an expense of \$1500,
and is ready to begin dredging out
three miles of the creek above the
dam, which the club believes will end
the feud between it and surrounding
farmers which has existed ever since
the dam was built.Mayor F. H. Brown is grieving over
the loss of the pen with which he
signed the new freholders' charter,
and which he believes was the most
person he has taken. There is a possi-
bility, however, that the pen has simply
been mislaid.Miss Delle Smiley of Los Angeles,
while skating at the Majestic-Rink
last night, fell, and striking her head
with terrific force, was unconscious
for two hours. It was feared at first
that her skull was fractured.Miss Mary Smith fainted in front of
the bath house yesterday when a small
boy ran against her, twisting one of
her arms painfully. Her companion,
Miss Helen Hanscome, attempted to
help, but both fell, and Miss Hans-
come, striking on the sharp edge of the
walk, breaking off two front teeth and
being cut by the sharp edge of the
to the bath-house hospital and given
medical attention.Contractor Hostetter today begun
work on the Atlantic-Pacific sewer
sewer, designed to drain the city streets
during the rainy season. Before half
past five the workers were at the
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season, November 1, when the eastern
tourist crop will be harvested.The following Angelenos arrived yester-
day for a day or two of sojourn at
the Island Villa: W. H. Loomis, C.
R. Atkinson and M. F. Curtin. At
the canvas city: W. R. Townsend, C.
W. Heinze, R. Sutcliffe. At the
Metropole: C. E. Patterson, J. H. Fu-
tura, F. H. Butcher, Miss Anna Al-
drich, Mrs. W. H. Laws, Mrs. Charles
Gehrmann, J. R. Howard, Bertha H.
Seth, Mrs. M. and Charles Sutter and
C. O. Hawley.A party of Philadelphians arrived at
the Metropole last evening, including

R. Daemyer, A. R. Russell and J. R.

Courtney and wife.

B. J. Holst of Goldfield came over

on the noon boat yesterday for a short

stay at the Metropole.

Among the Pasadena who arrived

at the Metropole yesterday were: E.

B. Blum and wife, J. D. Condit and

wife and Frank Warner.

A party from Colorado Springs ar-

rived at the Metropole on the evening

boat yesterday, including Alfred A.

Blackman, Miss Carrie Lowry and E.

G. Atwater.

Jacob Woolentoe and wife, and Earl

E. Hughes arrived yesterday from

South Bend, Ind., and are registered at

the Metropole.

Chattanooga, Tenn., was represented

among the arrivals yesterday by D.

George Morgan, W. H. Weatherford

and A. H. Rogers. They are guests at

the Metropole.

Rev. John Halliwell Dickenson of

Richmond, Va., is at the Metropole.

Mr. Arthur L. Shortt, of the

Metropole, who have been enjoy-

ing a ten-day outing on the island, left

for home today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred Jacques of

Hemet returned home today. They

have been camping at the Island Villa.

Fred Garland and wife and P. M. Tili

and wife of Redlands are at the Island

Villa for a short sojourn.

M. E. McClellan of Sonora, Mex., ar-

rived yesterday at the Island Villa.

Fine cat at Coronado Tent City.

POSTOFFICE GETS A BATH.

Merchants of Monrovia Turn Out to
Cleaning Function and "Dress
Front."MONROVIA, Aug. 29.—Myrtle-ave-
nue business men formed an impromptu
improvement association this morn-
ing and washed the long accumulated
dust and grime from the postoffice win-
dows. No invitation to a window-
washing social had been issued by
Postmaster C. H. Anson. The mer-
chants armed with sponges and other
cleaning paraphernalia were lined up
at 9 o'clock by C. A. Sargent, presi-
dent of the association. The men, led by
Thomas Neville, and Joseph Frauloh.
Encouraged by the plaudits of the
populace the industrial army soon
"dressed the front" of Uncle Sam's
stamp shop and disbanded.

RIVER CHANNEL DRY.

The San Gabriel River channel be-
low the irrigation intake at the mouth
of the cañon has at last gone dry. All
the water now coming down the stream
is used by Covina, Azusa and Duarte
orchardists.Not since 1890 has the flow continued
through August. It is doubtful if even
in that year the mountain streams car-
ried as much water as at present. Irrig-
ation demands were not half as large
as now, and a greater proportion of the
supply was allowed to run to waste. Last
year the flow below the cañon
intakes ceased in July.

MONROVIA NOTES.

The Duarte-Monrovia Fruit Ex-
change will add a forty-foot addition to
the Monrovia house and install the
blower and washer used in the large
Exchange house at Duarte this sea-
son.Street Superintendent F. M. Monroe
and Road Supervisor Thomas Glenn
have graded a temporary road across
Santa Anita where the Foothill
boulevard bridge was burned some
weeks ago. The county refused to aid
as did Arcadia and the bulk of the cost
has been borne by the city of Mon-
rovia and Road Master Glenn per-
sonally. The bridge is within Ar-
cadia City limits. The difficulty in
crossing the San Gabriel river had
caused a noticeable diminution in
automobile travel and has been a se-
rious and costly obstacle to teamsters.
The proposed repairs are but temporary
but will put the road in fairly good
condition.Mrs. O. W. Cotton of San Diego is
the guest of her grandmother, Mrs.
Jennie Church, at her home on Ivy
avenue.Mrs. E. A. Norman of Ivy avenue is
seriously ill with pneumonia.Mrs. Charles H. Clark of Long
Beach has taken a cottage on West
Orange avenue and will remain in this
city for the summer.Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Bowerman of
West White Oak avenue have returned
from a visit to Redondo.Miss Mary J. Malone of Palo
Alto where she will enter the Senior
class of Stanford University.Miss Maloney of Los Angeles is a
guest of her aunt, Mrs. John P.
Dunn at her home on Falling Leaf
avenue.Venice villas reasonable rates.
Coronado baptists the mothers.

GARDENA BAPTISTS' ANNUAL.

GARDENA, Aug. 29.—The Baptist
Church held its annual meeting yester-
day afternoon and evening. The
afternoon session was devoted to busi-
ness followed by an address by Rev.
R. L. Burrows of Los Angeles, who is
the convention evangelist. In the
evening a social service was given, cov-
ering the entire congregation. The
being laid for 150 people. The celebra-
tion were exceptionally beautiful.
About two hundred and fifty people
attended a morning session, it be-
ing taken up with music, election of
officers and roll call, followed by the
pastor's address.H. R. Stone returned today from
Los Angeles hospital where he under-
went a serious operation.Ralph Kincaid and Miss Ellen A.
Tupper were married at the latter's
home on Monday.John Jacobs of Moneta fell from a
wagon on Monday and broke two
ribs.Miss Ethel Fanning returned yester-
day from a three-week trip to San
Diego.George Michael and C. L. Botsford
are off bear hunting in Big Bear Val-
ley.H. Jeffers is seriously ill with crys-
talline pneumonia and is at Camp
Rincon with her daughters, but was
summoned to her husband's bedside.For the second time within a month
J. H. Harris's pump house burned to
the ground Tuesday night.Spend Labor Day at Coronado.
Venice vill

FRIDAY'S SURPRISES FROM THE AUGUST TRADE SALES

25c for 50c Silk Lisle Hosiery

Plain black with high spliced heels and toes, extra double soles, "Hermes" dye, full fashioned.

12c for 25 Black Lace Lisle Hose

Black only, in lace all over pattern, assorted designs, high spliced heels and toes, double soles and are absolutely fast color.

10c for 25c Hose

Black, tan, red, pink and blue in lace all over; black and tan in fine French ribbed, double knees, soles, heels and toes, sizes 5, 5½, 6, 6½, 7 and 7½.

39c Yard for \$1.50 Silks

3900 remnants or short lengths of the season's best weaves in both plain and fancy, including such as plain taffeta, Peau de Cygne, Lorraine, Crepe de Chine, Japanese and fancy silks in checks, stripes, shirt waist suit silks and others; lengths from 2½ to 18 yards; 19 to 34 inches wide; Friday only.

Soiled Muslins at Half

About 200 garments in the assortment, made of the best soft finished materials; are extra well made, nicely finished, and trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries. The assortment includes:

25c Corset Covers at.....15c
 50c Corset Covers and Drawers.....25c
 90c Corset Covers, Drawers, Gowns and Chemise, choice 48c
 \$2.00 Petticoats, lace or embroidery trimmed, at.....\$1.00
 \$3.50 Petticoats, lace or embroidery trimmed, at.....\$1.75
 \$4.00 Petticoats, lace or embroidery trimmed, at.....\$2.00

SECOND FLOOR.

39c for 65c Black Taffeta

5 pieces only in the lot, 19 inches wide, deep, rich black, with fine finish; pure silk, and positively worth 65c; no mail or phone orders. Friday only.

12c for 25c Decorated China

Celery trays, salad bowls, nappies, luncheon plates, pie plates, bread and butter plates, pickle trays, brush holders, vases, hair receivers, sugar bowls, creamers, candlesticks, salt and peppers, bon bons, mugs, sugar shakers, olive trays, cups and saucers, bone dishes, and hundreds of others.

THIRD FLOOR.

Hamburger's
SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

\$5.00 for Quarter-Size \$50.00 Rugs

Extra fine quality seamless wilton rugs; are bound all around and just a quarter the regular 9x12 foot rugs.

\$7.95 for \$10.50 Pro-Brussels Rugs

9x12 feet in size, copies of the best Body Brussels; choicest patterns and colorings; will lie flat on the floor and give exceptionally good service.

\$4.25 for \$8.50 Black Dress Hats

50 early fall styles for Friday's "Surprise" Sale; newest shapes, hand made, of bridle with tulle, silk facings; others pressed of bright finished felt; trimmed with fancy ostrich feathers, wings and ribbon in black only; none in the assortment worth less than \$8.50; no alterations.

\$1.95 for \$3 Felt Outing Hats

New French felt with fancy scarf or ribbon; the most popular hats at present for beach or outing wear; white and colors are \$3.00 value.

SECOND FLOOR.

25c for 38 to 52 inch Suitings

150 short lengths ranging from 1½ to 5 yards in each piece, sufficient for waists, skirts, dresses and children's garments; panamas, brillantines, albatros, granito cloth and serge, also fancy suitings of all kinds in stripes, plaids and checked effects.

10c for Handkerchiefs Worth to 35c

Linen, Swiss or cambric; some lace trimmed; others embroidery, hemmed or scalloped edges; slightly damaged and sold "as is."

25c FOR DOZEN YARDS VAL. LACE.

Regular Price to 50c.

Dainty Val. lace and insertions in French or German mesh; matched or separate.

5c FOR RIBBON REMNANTS WORTH TO 25c.

Plain or fancy chiffon, taffeta, messaline, satin and gros grain; widths to 5 inches.

2c FOR 10c NECK RUCHES.

No less than 5 sold to any one customer; chiffon or silk tissue in coll. shell, fan or pleated styles; black and colors.

49c for 54-Inch Tailor Suitings

15 pieces of fall weight suitings, newest designs in stripes, broken plaids and Scotch mixtures; splendid quality of woolsens, and will give exceptionally good wear.

25c for 49c Decorated China

Chocolate Pots, Chop Plates, Salad Bowls, Souvenir Plates, Footed Bon Bons, Olive Trays, Celery Trays, Fruits, Luncheon Plates, Creamers, Bread Plates, Vases, Tea Pots, Sugar Shakers, Spoon Trays, Cups and Saucers, Pin Trays, Chocolate Cups and Saucers, Candlesticks, and many others.

THIRD FLOOR.

10c for 25c Boys' Clothing

FOR BOYS' SCHOOL SUITS, sizes 9 to 16 years.

Fitted coat style with "knicker" pants; wool chevrons in gray and tan mixtures and are extra well made in every way.

\$2.45 FOR BOYS' \$3.50 SUITS.

Double breasted chevrons and tweeds in gray, brown and tan mixtures; sizes for boys 8 to 16 years; coats have iron-clad lining; linen sewed.

\$5.00 FOR BOYS' SCHOOL OR DRESS SUITS.

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Bike pants of the best English velvet corduroy; finished with full double seat, belt straps, riveted suspender buttons and tape bound seams; are linen sewed and the "never rip" kind.

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48 inches wide; black or white; Friday only.

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